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KERENSKY TO LEAD RUSSIAN ARMY TO CRUSH REVOLT

Situation in Torn Nation Reported More Favorable for Provisional Government.

Petrograd, Sept. 12. (9:30 a. m.)—The Associated Press was informed unofficially early this morning at the Winter Palace that Premier Kerensky was about to assume the position of commander in chief of all the Russian armies, at least until the revolt had been crushed.

SITUATION FAVORABLE.

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—Vice Premier Nekrasoff in an interview distributed today by the Russian official news agency said that the political situation could be considered perfectly favorable. All the commanders at the front, with the exception of General Denikine, commander on the western front, who has been arrested with his chief of staff by the military committee, remain faithful to the Provisional Government, Pskoff is in the possession of government troops.

KORNILOFF'S EDICT.

Petrograd, Sept. 11.—(Tuesday, 11 a. m.)—The texts of General Korniloff proclamations are published here today. The first, dated at Mohilev, denounces Premier Kerensky's description of Vladimir Lvoff's mission as untrue, declaring Korniloff did not send Lvoff to Kerensky, but that Kerensky first sent Lvoff to him with the aim to create trouble.

"Russian men," continues the proclamation, "our great fatherland is perishing. The government, under pressure of the Bolsheviki majority of the councils, is acting in full accord with the plans of the German general staff. Overwhelming consciousness of the impending ruin of the fatherland compel me in this menacing moment to summon all Russian men to save perishing Russia. All in whose breasts beat Russian hearts, all who believe in God, let the flock to the temple and pray God to perform a great miracle—a miracle of saving the fatherland.

HIS PROMISE.

"I, General Korniloff, son of a peasant and Cossack, declare to all that I require nothing personally, wishing except the salvation of mighty Russia, and I swear to lead the nation by the road of victory over the foe to a constituent assembly through which the nation will decide its own fate and choose the organization of its own political life. But I shall never betray Russia into the hands of its traditional foe—the German race, or make the Russian people the slaves of Germany. I prefer to die on the field of honor and battle, rather than to witness the shame and infamity of Russian land.

"It is an people, in your hands rests the fate of your country.

(Signed) "KORNILOFF"

In the second proclamation General Korniloff declares he is supported by all of the higher commanders on the front, denounces the government for incapable government, weakness and indecision, and declares that in order to veil its unfitness, the government is creating the chimera of a non-existent counter-revolution.

The provisional government has under the martial law regulations prohibited circulation of General Korniloff's manifestos or publication of unofficial laws concerning military measures taken against the revolt.

PETROGRAD CALM, REPORT.

London, Sept. 12.—The Petrograd correspondent of Reuter's Limited, telegraphing Tuesday at midnight, says the capital remains calm the population awaiting events and only the display of armed forces in the streets indicates an abnormal situation. Government commissioner Philipiako at headquarters of the commander in chief, who was arrested by General Korniloff, has been released and returned to Petrograd.

Minister of Agriculture Tchernoff has resigned. The garrison at Kronstadt has placed itself at the disposal of the Petrograd Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates.

AGREE ON CABINET.

Petrograd, Sept. 12. — The central committee of the constitutional Democratic party today informed Premier Kerensky that the party was agreed to its members joining a reconstituted Russian cabinet in order to avoid civil war.

NEW ARMY LEADER TO SUCCEED KORNILOFF

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—Major General Bonch Bruyevitch has been appointed commander in chief of the Russian army in succession to General Korniloff.

OUT-MANOUVERED.

Petrograd, Sept. 11—(Tuesday—Delayed)—The Associated Press was personally informed this afternoon by Minister of Finance Nekrasoff that the forces of General Korniloff, near Pskoff and at Dno, which were marching on Petrograd, had been out-manouvered by the troops loyal to the Provisional Government and that their retreat had been cut off.

JOIN KORNILOFF.

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—General Denikine and Valuyeff, commanding the southwest and western fronts, respectively, have joined General Korniloff, according to announcement in Petrograd newspapers given out by the semi-official news agency.

An earlier report from Petrograd said General Denikine had been placed under arrest.

DECLARE STATE OF WAR IN MOSCOW

Petrograd, Sept. 12.—The provisional government today declared that a state of war exists in the town and district of Moscow.

Korniloff Army Gives Up, Report

Petrograd, Sept. 11—(Tuesday 6 p. m.)—Members of the Kerensky government have informed The Associated Press that while they are unable to report the final overthrow of General Korniloff, they are optimistic concerning the general situation. Unconfirmed reports say that a part of General Korniloff's army are surrendering to the government.

American Aviator Sends 2 German Airplanes Down

Paris, Sept. 12—Word reached Paris last night that Corporal Andrew Courtney Campbell, Jr., of Chicago, flying with the French squadrilla Number Sixty-Five, had vanquished two German machines in aerial engagements, says the Paris edition of the New York Herald.

It was also reported that Corporal Walter Lovell, of Boston, Mass., a member of the La Fayette Squadron brought down his third victim Monday.

FURLOUGH FOR JEWISH SOLDIERS

Philadelphia Pa., Sept. 12—Furloughs have been granted to Jewish soldiers at the various cantonments in order that they may be able to observe the Jewish New Year and the day of atonement, according to word received from the War Department.

ELLA FLAGG YOUNG TO DO HER "BIT"

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, former superintendent of Chicago schools, left today for Washington to do her bit in the war. She went at the request of Secretary McAdoo, and the work she will undertake is the editing of the "Patriotic Manual," a publication to be placed in the hands of school teachers.

NO DETAILS IN GERMAN REPLY

Amsterdam, Sept. 12.— The Weser Zeitung says that the German reply to Pope Benedicts, peace plea will contain no details, but will accept in principle the Pope's peace program. The paper adds that the reply will not be submitted to the main committee of the Reichstag.

BEING WELL DIGGER NO EXEMPT EXCUSE

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Raymond E. Ricke, digger of wells and repairer of windmills, of Barrington, Ill., set forth these facts in a plea for exemption. Appeals board No. 3 has decided that a well digger would be great at excavating trenches and ruled that some one else would have to care for the wells and windmills of Barrington.

FARM HANDS GET 35 CENTS AN HOUR

Offer Includes Board and Lodging—Sets New Record.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 12.—What is believed to be a record wage for Pennsylvania for farm labor has just been reported to the Bureau of Employment, a branch of the State Department of Labor and Industry. It was an offer of 35 cents an hour with board and lodging. Offers of from 20 to 30 cents have been made from time to time, but this offer, which was authentic, is the record as far as known at the state capital.

FRENCH SMASH GERMAN LINES

In Champagne Sector for Gains—Foes in Trenches Taken.

Paris, Sept. 12—French troops last night attacked the German trenches in the region of St. Souplet, in the Champagne and succeeded in smashing the first two German lines and entering the third positions. All the German troops garrisoning these trenches, the French war office announced this afternoon, were either killed or taken prisoner.

"In the Champaign district we

The statement follows:

"In the Champaign district we conducted successfully several raids into the German lines, one northeast of Auberive and the other to the east of the road between St. Hilaire and St. Souplet. At this latter point French detachments penetrated as far as the third German lines. A spirited fight developed in the course of which the German garrison was either killed or made prisoners. We blew up numerous shelters and brought back important raw material.

"In Belgium there has been very spirited artillery firing in the sectors of Drei-Grachten and Bixschoote.

"Enemy airplanes have bombarded the region of Dunkirk. There were several victims among the civilian population."

GERMANS REPULSED.

London, Sept. 12—German troops this morning attacked British trenches east of Hargicourt, Field Marshal Haig reported today from British headquarters in France. The assault was launched under cover of a heavy barrage but the arvancing waves were met by rifle and machine gun fire and the Germans were repulsed.

CLAIM 8,000 RUSSIANS.

Berlin, Sept. 12.—(Via London)—Russian prisoners captured by the Germans in the battle of Riga numbered 8,900, according to the official announcement issued today by the German general staff. The Germans also took 325 cannon.

Aviators Collide Fall 1500 Feet To Their Death

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 12.—Edward M. Walsh and Theodore D' Lyman, student aviators of the United States army fell to their deaths over the North Island aviation field this morning after two biplanes they were driving collided about 500 feet in the air.

Immediately following the accident patrols were placed about the island by the military authorities, and no persons were allowed to approach.

AT BLIND ANGLE.

According to the official announcement of the accident made by Colonel Dade, commanding officer at North Island, Walsh and Lyman collided in mid-air, while flying at a "blind angle." Because of the position of their planes at the time of the accident it was said neither was able to see the other. Officers at the island expressed the belief that both men were dead before striking the ground.

BRITISH SLAYER OF SLACKER FREED

London, Sept. 12.—A jury Tuesday afternoon indorsed the plea that a soldier is justified in killing a slacker who remains home and seeks to dishonor the soldier's wife. Lieutenant Douglas Malcolm, Royal artillery, was acquitted of blame for the murder of Anton Baumbery, alias "Count de Borch," under such conditions. Malcolm's plea involved the unwritten law.

VICTORY PRAYER DAY SANCTIONED

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—Proclamation by the president of a day of prayer for American success in the war is proposed in a bill by Senator Myers of Montana passed yesterday by the senate.

Other war measures passed by the senate without debate or objection included Senator Weeks' bill to keep secret until the end of the war patents of inventions which might aid the enemy.

ELKS GIVE $60,000 TO HOSPITAL UNIT

Lynchburg, Va., Sept. 12—Fred Harper, grand exalted ruler of the Elks, announced yesterday that the Elks war commission has authorized the complete equipping of the University of Virginia Hospital unit to go abroad at a cost of $60,000. This will be the first expenditure of the $1,000,000 war relief fund authorized by the Elks Grand Lodge at its Boston session last July.

CHIEF JUSTICE OF ENGLAND IN U. S.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Sept. 12.—Right Hon. Viscount Reading, lord chief justice of England, arrived here today on an American steamship from Great Britain. He is accompanied by Lady Reading.

ALLIES RELY ON U. S. TO WIN WAR

Chancellor Bonar Law Declares Victory Depends on America.

London, Sept. 12—Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of Exchequer, speaking today at a luncheon given by the Empire Parliamentary Association to Medill McCormick, congressman at large for Illinois, said:

"In everything connected with the military air the Germans have shown remarkable results, even genius. But in dealing with questions of human nature they have repeatedly made mistakes which have been the salvation of the Entente Allies. No mistake they have made will be so great in its consequences as that which drove the United States into the war."

RELY ON U. S.

"The Germans lately," Mr. Bonar Law continued, "have been saying that the Entente was relying on the United States as their last hope. I want to say to you that we do rely on the United States.

"As Chancellor of the Exchequer, I am ready to say to you now what I should have been sorry to have had to say six months ago, namely that without the United States' financial assistance the Allies would have been in disastrous straits today. We have not yet seen the end.

"Perhaps I may be excused from speaking of the Russian situation except to say how much we sympathize with Russia in her time of anguish, and that we hope she may yet render us assistance in the great cause.

STAYING QUALITIES.

"The American people, like us, are people of hard practical sense and realize that the war now has become largely a question of nerves, endurance and staying power. Thank God we of England and America have those qualities and shall see this thing through to victory.

"We have two special reasons for satisfaction at the coming in of the United States. First, it is the best possible proof that our cause is just and righteous; and second, we know we now have on our side resources which are more than sufficient to achieve victory.

U. S. HAS GREATEST RESOURCES.

"The United States possesses the greatest wealth and resources of any nation in the world. Moreover, as a nation they have shown inventive genius and adaptability which they must inevitably apply successfully to the prosecution of the war."

FIX RETAIL COAL PRICES BY OCT. 1

Washington, Sept. 12.—Retail coal prices will be announced for every city and community in the country before the end of this month, Dr. H. A. Garfield, the fuel administrator, announced last night. They will be fixed on the recommendation of local committees to be named by state fuel administrators.

"It is obvious," Dr. Garfield said, "that the prices vary considerably between localities and between city and country towns. Care will be taken to include all items which ought to be included, for there is no disposition to deprive the local dealer of his fair measure of profit. It may be necessary to make the prices tentative, as in the case of the prices fixed at the mines."

DALLAS BARS TO CLOSE ON OCT. 20

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 12.— Complete figures in Monday local option election in Dallas County, compiled today, show the Prohibitionists polled 10,516 votes and the anti-Prohibitionists 8,564, making a "dry" majority of 1,952. The saloon will be closed Oct. 20, it was stated today. In the city of Dallas, the only part of the county that has been "wet" for twenty-five years, 220 saloons, one brewery and twelve wholesale houses will be forced to quit business. These are said to represent a combined capital of about $2,500,000.

REJECT 26 MEN AT CAMP DODGE

Camp Dodge, Iowa, Sept. 12.—With men now in camp exceeding by several hundred the expected 5 per cent quota, Colonel Shook, division surgeon, late Tuesday referred to General Plummer, cantonment commander, for approval and final discharge a list of twenty-six drafted men rejected by specialists after initial rejection by examining army surgeons. Of these nineteen are from Minnesota, six from Illinois and one from Iowa.

The Illinois men are William Hoffman and John F. Peterson, both of Milan, rejected for heart trouble and lung trouble, respectively; Leroy B. Richardson and William Schaefer, East Peoria, Company C; Alvin Stone, Peoria Heights, eye trouble and nervousness, and Carl Sagan, who had a fractured elbow.

Bad teeth, eyes, deafness and heart trouble constitute the main rejection reasons. One had a goitre, one a club foot, three were overweight and one suffered eczema.

RAISE BIG MELON CROP NEAR PEORIA

Peoria, Sept. 12.—Hundreds of acres of ground between Peoria and Spring Bay are literally covered with watermelons and muskmelons and the farmers of this vicinity are furnishing most of the nation's supply. Carload after carload of melons are shipped from Peoria and other points to large cities east and west.

The melon crop is a record-breaker. They are larger and have a much better flavor than melons have had in years.

BREAD CARDS IN ITALY AFTER OCT. 11

Rome, Sept. 12.—Guiseppe Canepa, the Italian food controller, today ordered the introduction of bread and flour cards throughout Italy after Oct. 11.

ONLY UPSTATE CORN DAMAGED BY FROST

Warm Weather Needed to Mature Crop.

Springfield, Sept. 12.—Complete reports received by the federal weather bureau, made public today in the crop bulletin for the week ending Tuesday, Sept. 11, indicate that corn in the extreme north portion of the state sustained severe damage from Monday night's frost, especially in the lowlands.

"In the localities of the north half of the state tender vegetables were damaged by frost, and corn was slightly injured," the bulletin states.

"The severe damage to corn was confined to parts of the extreme north portion, especially the lowlands.

"The dry weather in the northern division was relieved by heavy rains. There is still some threshing to be done. Corn is generally in good condition, but the week was too cool for maturing.

NEW LOW RECORDS IN RAIL ISSUES

New York, Sept. 12.—Bulls bought stocks with a large speculative market, such as United States Steel, Bethlehem and Crucible in an endeavor to offset increasing liquidation of particular shares. The maneuvre was only temporarily successful, as there were various features which appealed to the bearish mood of the professionals. Prices tumbled rapidly and many new low records were made when liquidation of investment holdings became pronounced. Delaware and Hudson dropped 6 points, Louisville 4½, St. Paul 3 and Reading 2. Numerous industrials were off 2 to 4 points. Liberty Bonds were quiet at 99.88 to 99.90. The general bond market was irregular.

LAND 30 DRAFT EVADERS FROM SEA

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 12.—Escorted by the United States warship that captured her off the lower California coast last Sunday, the gasoline schooner Anvil, with more than thirty alleged draft evaders and enemy aliens on board, arrived in San Diego harbor this morning.

The Anvil was immediately boarded by department of justice agents and other federal officials. All approaches to the pier were closely guarded by troops and no person other than federal officers was allowed near the vessel. The examination of the suspected men, it was said, would be started immediately and until the completion of the inquiry no information would be given out.

DIES AFTER 200-FOOT FALL IN AIRPLANE

Fort Sill, Okla., Sept. 12.—Roderick E. Kennedy of Minneapolis, a private in the Third aero squadron, died Tuesday afternoon as the result of burns received when he crashed 200 feet to earth in a burning airplane at the aviation camp here.

Kennedy graduated from Harvard last June.

HEARING ON WAR CREDITS BILL ENDS

Washington, Sept. 12.—Hearing on the $11,000,000,000 war credits bill were concluded today before the Senate finance committee and plans were made for its passage by the Senate within a week, virtually as passed by the House last week.

Secretary McAdoo and other treasury officials spent the morning in further explanation of the bill.

Painleve Fails To Form Cabinet

Socialist Members Refuse to Serve New Ministry.

Paris, Sept. 12.—Paul Painleve, minister of war, has announced that he has been unable to form a new ministry to succeed that of M. Ribot, owing to the eleventh hour withdrawal of the Socialists, Albert Thomas and M. Varenne.

WILL TRY AGAIN.

M. Painleve went to the Elysee palace at 1 o'clock this morning, where he was joined by M. Bourgeois, other statesmen, with whom he had conferred awaiting at the ministry of war. He returned within an hour and announced to newspapermen that President Poincare had insisted that he continue his efforts to form a cabinet, and that he had asked for time to think over the situation.

It is understood Professor Painleve will again try to construct a ministry.

Professor Painleve's first combination proved even more abortive than that of M. Ribot, the retiring premier, and collapsed from the same cause, namely, the exigencies of the Socialists. What those exigencies are is not exactly known.

According to the Matin, M. Thomas refused to collaborate in the cabinet because the retiring premier, M. Ribot remained in the foreign office.

Both Professor Painleve and M. Varenne sought to dissuade M. Thomas from leaving the cabinet, but after a sharp passage of arms between the two Socialists, they both left the war ministry, and went to the ministry of munitions and laid the situation before the delegates. The delegates upheld M. Thomas and instructed the two ministers to withdraw from the cabinet.

Monument Men In Trust Fined

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 12.—Seventeen members of the National Retail Monument Dealers association were fined today by Judge John C. Ross in the United States district court here in addition to a fine of $2,500 imposed upon the association.

This action followed the entering by the defendants of a plea of nolo contendre in the indictment against them which charged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The individual fines ranged from $1,000 down to $5 each.

1,000 DRAFT APPEALS UP TO PRESIDENT

Washington, Sept. 12.—More than 1,000 claims for army exemption on grounds that the claimant is indispensable to a war industry, appealed to the president, the final judge of such cases, were on file today at the office of Provost Marshal General Crowder.

Preliminary examination is being made by General Crowder, who laid emphasis today on the fact that only industrial exemption claims may be appealed to the president from district boards and that personal hearings before authorities acting for the president will not be given. Evidence will be limited to that already presented to district boards.

Pending final decision by the president, the men claiming industrial exemption are subject to military duty.

Denounce Plan Against Draft

Washington, Sept. 12.—Denouncing the introduction of such a proposition, the senate military committee today reported adversely Senator Hardwick's resolution which would provide that the consent of every drafted man must be obtained before he is required to perform foreign service. The committee, the report says believes the draft law is constitutional, and that every man drafted into the National Army can be used abroad.

"The situation arising out of this spirit of opposition to the selective draft act is serious," says the report, "and taken in connection with the unrest amongst the civilian population growing out of commercial and industrial conditions, stimulated in some cases, doubtless by pro-German sympathizers and propagandists, places our country in a situation of extreme peril at a time when all should be united in a common cause.

KILLS MAN WHO TRIED TO ROB IN SALOON

Bloomington, Sept. 12.—William Kenney of Springfield was found dead at 4 a. m. today at a local boarding house in this city, after being shot by an unknown citizen, who caught him attempting to rob a west side saloon at 1:30.

The police followed the trail of blood and when they reached their man, found him dead at the foot of the boarding house stairs.

MAY INVOKE MARTIAL LAW IN SPRINGFIELD

Governor Lowden Threatens Drastic Action to Curb Strike Disorder.

Springfield, Sept. 12.— Unless parties to the Springfield street car strike controversy, which has resulted in a general strike that threatens to tie up every industry in this city, compose their differences at once, Governor Frank O. Lowden will declare martial law and preserve order with state troops, it was understood from authoritative sources here today.

DECIDES ON DRASTIC ACTION.

Decision on the part of the governor to take measures followed a conference with Samuel Insull, of Chicago, chairman of the Illinois State Council of Defense, Lieutenant Governor John G. Oglesby and others.

The governor, who left the conference before noon to make an address before veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American wars at the state fair grounds, set 2 p. m. for another session of the defense council members.

While Governor Lowden declined to discuss what had been decided upon at the meeting this morning, it was known that he considers the questions at issue in the street car strike unworthy of longer controversy, involving, it was stated, merely the seniority of employes and preferred runs.

TO ISSUE AN ULTIMATUM.

An ultimatum probably will be presented to both sides this afternoon, and, if an agreement is not reached immediately, military rule, it was stated, will be established. In this case, full protection will be afforded the car company, and the city government will be under control of the military.

Six hundred employes of the Sangamo Meter Works, where electric meters are manufactured for the United States navy and 300 employes of the Illinois Watch company joined the strike this morning.

ARGENTINE SENDS GERMAN ENVOY HIS PASSPORTS

Buenos Aires, Sept. 12.—The Argentine government at noon today sent to the German legation passports to be delivered to Count Luxburg, the German charge in Buenos Aires. The whereabouts of Count Luxburg still is unknown to the Argentine government.

The Argentine foreign office today sent a communication to the German foreign minister, demanding an explanation of Count Luxburg's action in sending the secret code messages to Berlin through the Swedish legation.

It was officially announced here today that if Germany failed to disapprove of Count Luxburg's action, Argentina would recall her minister at Berlin. If the Berlin government disapproved of his course, the status quo would be maintained.

CALL SWEDISH STATEMENT FEEBLE

London, Sept. 12.—The statement of the Swedish foreign office concerning the transmission of German telegrams from Argentine is regarded by the morning newspapers as extremely feeble. They say it will not satisfy the belligerents and neutrals Sweden has injured.

The Times declares that the Stockholm foreign office "dares not utter a comprehensive denial. It pleads that these particular messages were unknown to it, but admits that Sweden continued to act as intermediary between Germany and Argentina.

The Daily Chronicle asserts that the statement "shows a decidedly imperfect sense of the unneutrality and extreme gravity of the proceedings."

Must License Sugar By Oct. 1

Women and Homes to Band With U .S. in Food Saving Efforts.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—President Wilson, it was announced last night, has determined upon licensing all manufacturers, refiners and importers of sugar as the next step in control of staple food commodities.

"The critical situation in the sugar markets anticipated during the fall months," Food Administrator Hoover declared, "makes prompt action necessary, and the proclamation of the president will require the licensing by Oct. 1 of all persons, firms, corporations and associations engaged in the business either of importing sugar or manufacturing sugar from sugar cane or beets, or of refining sugar, or of manufacturing sugar sirups or molasses.'

PREVENTS SPECULATION.

"General licensing of the industry will serve as a step toward the regulation of prices by the prevention of speculation and the securing of equitable distribution. The sugar problem being one of distribution as much as of supply, the solution is to be brought about by voluntary agreements with the trades, the essential principles of which have been already settled."

U. S. IN LEAGUE WITH HOMES.

Plans for enlisting the women and the homes of the country in the cause of food conservation are to be mapped out here tomorrow, when the food administration will hold a conference with organizers from a score of states to discuss a nation-wide campaign, soon to be launched.

The campaign aims to reach every household in the country and secure its co-operation. Already the food administration has received more than a million signed pledges from the heads of families throughout the nation, promising to conserve necessary food supplies.

Would Draft All Except German Aliens

Washington, Sept. 12.—Drafting of all aliens in the United States, except Germans, others exempt by treaty, and those of countries allied with Germany, who have resided in this country one year, is proposed in a joint resolution passe dtoday by the senate and sent to the house. It is estimated that more than 1,000,000 aliens would be affected.

Under the resolution by Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, chairman of the senate military affairs, subjects of the allies or neutrals claiming treaty exemption, would be allowed to leave the country within ninety days.

Food Shortage In Petrograd

Washington, Sept. 12.—Shortage of foodstuffs in Petrograd may make more difficult the capital's defense by the Kerensky government against the troops led by General Korniloff. Dispatches to the state department from Ambassador Francis said that an evacuation of Petrograd by a part of the civilian population was under way, and gave as a reason the scarcity of supplies rather than military reasons. The dispatches were sent three days ago.

Regarding the recent developments in the movement headed by Korniloff the state department today had received no information.

Anxiety among officials and diplomats here today over the Russian situation was based largely on indications in unofficial dispatches that both Premier Kerensky's provisional government and also the forces behind General Korniloff were gathering strength. Such a situation, they fear, if long continued, would cause the general anarchy, most dreaded by Russia's friends.

THE WEATHER

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m. Thursday:

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; probably unsettled in north portion; rising temperature.

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The weather map at 8 a.m. today, showed:

Canadian Northwest—Part cloudy; 48 to 60 above. Prince Albert, .02; Swift Current, .34; Regina, .24.

Northwest—Part cloudy; 50 to 60 above. Bismarck, .44; Huron, .16; Moorhead, .06; Williston, .10; St. Paul, .08, raining. Devil's Lake, .04.

West—Part cloudy; 50 to 60 above.

Southwest—Part cloudy; 52 to 66 above.

Ohio Valley—Clear; 46 to 52 above. Frost at Parkersburg, 40 above. Indianapolis frost.

IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS.

Weather conditions in Iowa and Illinois cities at 11 a.m. today:

Decatur—Clear; 68.
Clinton, Ia.—Part cloudy, 64.
Aurora—Part cloudy; 65.
Rock Island—Clear; 70.
Rockford—Part cloudy, 63
Burlington, Ia.—Clear, 68
Ottumwa, Ia.—Clear, 67.
Moline—Clear; 69.
Muscatine, Ia.—Clear; 70.
Bloomington—Cloudy; 62
Springfield—Part cloudy, 60
Quincy—Clear; 64.
Danville—Clear; 64.
Champaign—Clear; 58.
Peoria—Clear; 55.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p.m. Tuesday	53
7 a.m. Wednesday	49
Noon Wednesday	70
Highest Tuesday	68
Lowest Wednesday	49
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:57
Sun sets	6:15

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OILING STATE AID ROAD NEAR PANA

Rainy Weather Has Halted Highway Improvement.

Pana, Sept. 1. A force of workmen are engaged in reoiling the state aid road west of Pana. The task was commenced Tuesday morning. The oil has been here some time but the work has been retarded by frequent rains.

TO BLOOMINGTON.

Mrs. George Casey went to Bloomington Saturday accompanied by her son Master George Casey who will attend school in Bloomington. He will make his home there with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Baker.

FORCED TO FREE WOMAN.

Stella Jones who gave her place of residence as Decatur and her companions Glenn Lowe of Assumption and Clarence Griffith of Westervelt were arrested here Monday and charged with disorderly conduct. As there is no apartment in the city jail for women it was found necessary to release the Jones woman without payment of her fine which was $25 and costs. Griffith and Lowe are in jail.

When the trio was arrested they were in an automobile without a license tag. Griffith claims he recently traded for the car and had applied for a license.

Mrs. Alde, of north Pana is suffering with severe injuries caused by a fall from a hay mow of the barn at her home Tuesday noon.

M. E. PASTOR RETURNS.

Rev. S. Combs, who has been pastor of the First Methodist church for two years has returned from the conference at Champaign to continue as pastor of the church here. A month ago it was unanimously decided that Rev. Mr. Combs return to the Pana church would be requested at the conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drake have returned from an automobile trip to Indiana.

Mrs. Frank Turner entertained the following women Tuesday at dinner. All are former schoolmates of Mrs. Turner. The party was given for Miss Hattie Skinner of Denver. Those present included Mrs. Ben Allen, Mrs. Otis Slate, Mrs. Bert Morgan, Mrs. I. B. ... and Mrs. Wilmer all of ... and Mrs. W. P. McTaggart and Mrs. F. L. Lees of Pana.

Floyd Smith, a son of Charles Smith of North Locust street has enlisted with Co. H in Shelbyville and will enter the training camp at Houston, Tex.

CHILD DIES OF PNEUMONIA.

Elsie Sanders, the one year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sanders died at the family residence on North Oak street Monday evening at ... Death was caused by pneumonia. The parents, one sister and brother survive. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the ... and burial was at the ... cemetery.

PHYSICIANS TO ARMY.

Dr. Mark Greer of Vandalia, who ... a frequent visitor in Pana ... bid his Pana friends farewell ... receiving entertainment ... He received a commission in the ... Reserve Corps as First Lieutenant.

... H. Miller entertained at a ... in honor of ... of the ... final visit to ... Tuesday ... entering a training camp. He has received a commission as captain in Medical Corps of the United States army. The Huber hospital staff and a number of others were entertained.

NO DAMAGE BY FROST.

Pana and vicinity was visited by a frost of no mild character Monday night but no damage of any consequence resulted.

MORE PUPILS IN SCHOOL.

Prof. H. L. Hart, principal of the city schools, reports an increase in the enrollment since the opening day of schools. A number of children who were detained for various reasons from attending the first week are now in school and a few new ones come in almost daily. Several changes have been made owing to congestion of pupils in the fifth and sixth grades.

NO MANUAL TRAINING TEACHER.

The position of manual training teacher in the Pana township high school and city schools, made vacant by the resignation of H. E. Mohler has not been filled and at present, there is no certainty it will be filled soon. Two applicants that were considered favorable, reported by telegraph that they were drafted into army service soon after sending their applications to Pana. The recent army draft has reduced the teaching force as it has reduced forces in other lines.

ALDERMEN GET BADGES.

A regular meeting of the Pana city council was held at the city hall Monday evening. All the aldermen were present and each received an official badge to be worn during his term of office. These badges were ordered a month ago.

An ordinance was passed which prohibits any carnival or amusement company from using the streets of the city as did the Evans carnival company last week.

This was the first carnival company allowed to use the streets for several years and it met with the disapproval of nearly all the business men and the public in general.

An ordinance, which orders all down spouting removed from buildings within the fire district was passed. The sewers become over burdened with a surplus of water and causes great inconvenience.

Floyd Stech's appointment as a member of the city fire department was confirmed. A resolution was adopted that the street and alley committee make arrangements with the Utilities Commission that an overhead bridge be constructed on Fifth street over the Illinois Central railroad. A resolution was also adopted for the street and alley committee to arrange for repairs on the city hall especially in the room used for the city court and council meetings.

A number of changes will probably be made in the building and the assembly room equipment be replaced with new. The estimated cost of these improvements is placed at $1,000. The committee in charge of looking after the matter of painting the exterior and interior of the jail building was instructed to advertise for bids. A petition was read requesting that the Barnum and Bailey's circus parade the streets free of charge. The request was granted.

LAKE CITY.

Will Long of Fertile visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sinclair of near Dalton City visited here Saturday night with Miss Sylvia Hamm.

... Crip and family attended the ... at Springfield Monday.

Mrs. Clara Lee of Decatur was here ...

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tupton were Decatur visitors Monday.

Mrs. Joe Johnson and children of ... visited here ... with her ... Mr. and Mrs. ...

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—Simple tailored effects, pleated, tunic and peg top with braid and embroidery effectively used to accomplish the most clever and pleasing results.

New Coats for Fall

—$15 to $50

—Models which portray genius in designing and unusually attractive development of colors and materials.

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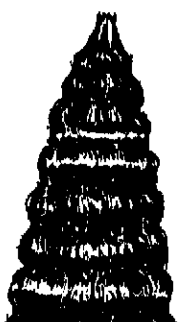

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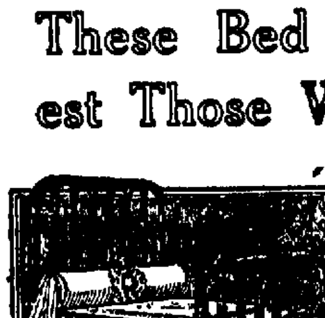

Satin Finish Brass Bed, with 2½-inch continuous post and heavy 1½-inch fillers. This bed has been priced at $20, reduced now to—$16.50.

Vernis-Martin Bed, continuous 2½-inch posts, a regular $7.75 quality, reduced to—$4.85.

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MISS MALHOIT OF ASSUMPTION TO WED

Prominent Teacher To Be Fall Bride.

Assumption, Sept. 12.—Announcement was made Sunday at St Mary's Catholic church of the approaching marriage of Miss Irene Malhoit of this city and William Smith of St. Francisville, Ill

Miss Malhoit is the second daughter of Mr and Mrs Joseph Malhoit and has lived her entire life in this city having been prominently identified with the schools of the state.

CHURCH BAZAR.

The members of St. Mary's church will give a bazar and fall festival early in October

Mr and Mrs Albert Demers of San Diego, Cal., came the latter part of the week for an extended visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horn, of Oklahoma, accompanied the latter's sisters, Misses Clementine and Agnes Myers of this city, home after their having spent the past month with them in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Jennie Wright will leave Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. A. C. Vogle at Champaign. From there she will go to Normal for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Cavens.

The first meeting of the Civics' Class will be held next Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms with Miss Ella Cronin in charge of the open meeting.

Robert Scheen and Glen Morrison of Decatur spent Sunday evening with Orlando Kuhle.

Miss Maud Morton of Decatur visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Morton

Glen Lovering went to Champaign the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moore, Mr. and Mrs Carl Simcox, spent Monday in Springfield.

Mrs. Frank Longsworth of Owaneco spent Sunday here with friends.

MILITARY DRILLS AT TUSCOLA HIGH

Boys to March—Girls Work for Red Cross.

Tuscola, Sept. 12.—The military drill was introduced in the Tuscola high school Tuesday morning. At a meeting of the school board recently it was decided to give thirty minutes on two mornings out of each week to military training for all high school students. During the time the boys are taking military training, the girls will have instructions in and do practical Red Cross work.

TWO DRILL MASTERS.

For the present the military drilling is under Athletic Coach Fuller and H. B. Rutherford. Mr. Rutherford is a graduate of Culver military academy.

A big squad was out for the first drill Tuesday and before beginning the work the students were asked if any had objections to military work in connection with the school work and none stepped out. Practically every boy in the high school is taking the work. There is a sufficient number to justify the organization of two student companies, which is to be done.

CARRY WOODEN GUNS.

Wooden guns for drilling purposes will be made by the manual training class and later student officers for the companies will be selected, the selection being based on grades made in a competitive examination for that purpose.

POSTPONE HEARING

The hearing of the Okaw drainage district petition, which was set for Sept. 12 in the county court, has again been postponed until Nov. 3

NEW M. E. PASTOR.

Rev W. F. Pitner, the new minister at the Tuscola Methodist church, will be here Sunday to hold the regular services of the day. Rev. A. A. White, the retiring pastor, will not get his household goods moved to Danville this week, but will be out of town Sunday.

The five years of service of Rev. A. A. White in the Tuscola church have been very satisfactory.

The Douglas county board of supervisors met Tuesday for the regular quarterly meeting, but there was no business transacted, as they immediately adjourned to meet today.

Mrs. J. C. Walker is here from LaTeur, Ark., to visit old Friends.

C W. Dearduff has sold his cottage on East Van Allen street to Mr. and Mrs. J B. Hopkins, who will move into it for a home.

Everett Jackson left here Tuesday for Reeds Point, Mont.

Mrs W. A. Fullerton was taken to a Mattoon hospital Tuesday, where she will undergo an operation for relief from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs J. C. Bunday was in Champaign Tuesday.

Rev. Father Quatman and Mr and Mrs. C. E. Price went to Decatur on Tuesday.

Mrs. J W. Laughlin spent Tuesday in Garrett.

Earl Cranford was in Newman on Tuesday.

Mrs. Minnie Tyler spent Tuesday in Atwood.

Dan Early is attending the state fair.

G. W Hughes of Hume was here Tuesday.

Misses Ella and Lyda Hunt are building an addition to their home in the south part of town.

William Iles, James F Helm and H C Jones, the farm committee in charge of the farming land donated by the late William F Jarman for the building and maintenance of a hospital in this city, motored to the farm, east of Villa Grove Tuesday afternoon to inspect the farm and crops.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Houk have returned from a vacation trip to Colorado and Mr. Houk is again at his post as assistant postmaster.

There was light frost to be plainly seen on the roofs of buildings and up off the ground on Tuesday morning, but there is no visible damage to be seen to crops and late garden stuff.

CALHOUN FUNERAL THURSDAY.

The funeral of Rev. W. S Calhoun, whose death occurred suddenly here Monday afternoon, will be held at 2 30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Methodist church in this city. Rev. A. A White, the retiring pastor who is just being transferred to a Danville church, will have charge of the funeral and will be assisted by Dr. F. A. Havighurst of Decatur, a former pastor Dr. Whitlock of Urbana formerly superintendent of the Danville district; Dr Theodore Kemp president of Illinois Wesleyan university at Bloomington, and other ministers. The children of Rev. Mr. Calhoun have all arrived here and will remain for the funeral services. The burial will be in Tuscola cemetery.

HAMMOND SCHOOL RESUMES SESSIONS

Hammond, Sept. 12.—The Hammond school opened Monday morning with a large enrollment. The school has been added to the credited list this year. The following teachers are in charge:

Principal—Miss Etta Fisher.

Seventh and eighth grades—Ray Henry.

Fifth and sixth grades—Miss Nannie Brickendike.

Third and fourth grades—Miss Rena Pond.

Primary—Mrs. Sarah C. Morris.

E. S. Harris has been retained as janitor.

Mrs. Eliza Bandy, who resides southwest of town, has purchased the residence property of O Greer here and will move her family as soon as Mr. Greer gives possession

Miss Eleanor Traxler of Urbana was a week-end guest here of relatives

Miss Lois Kizer of Decatur has been visiting here, the guest of her uncle, T. J. Kizer and family.

Miss Maurine Dowery has gone to Pennsylvania for an extended visit with relatives

Mrs. George B. Gentry accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Freemon, to Sadorus Sunday for a week's visit and to attend the homecoming.

Charles Fairbanks of Assumption, and nephew, Master Glenn Fairbanks, of Bement, were here Saturday to attend the picnic and visit old friends.

Mrs A. S. Hickman visited here from Paris the week-end with her parents. She was formerly Miss Fern Traxler of this place.

Dr. and Mrs. T. B Lewis are spending the week in Chicago

Mr. and Mrs Troy J. Crowder, who are visiting here from Chicago with the former's mother, Mrs Jennie Crowder, are in Sadorus this week, the guests of J A Freemon and family and to attend the picnic

Masters Hestoin and Harold Tracy returned the first of the week to their home at Lexington after spending the summer here with Mrs Mary Tracy and family.

Miss Stella Silver was the guest of friends in Decatur this week

Dan Tracy was a St. Louis visitor Saturday and Sunday

Everett Garrett of Neoga attended the picnic here Saturday. Mr. Garrett was formerly principal of the Hammond school

COWDEN.

Mrs. Nelle Ensor and daughters returned Sunday night from a five weeks' visit in Colorado They returned via Champaign where they attended the Methodist conference.

The Free Methodist conference, in session last week at Hillsboro, returned Rev. J. G. Yeck to this place, to the satisfaction of his congregation

J. J. Cullen of Chicago, has been the guest of the James Torrence family the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O A. Jewett and Chester Perkins and family attended the state fair the first of the week.

Misses Pauline Jones, Mary Cosart and Fairie Hudson have gone to Decatur to resume their studies at the Millikin university. Homer Scevil returned to Carlinville to attend the E. I. S. N. where he will graduate in the spring. Harold Jones will attend the University of Chicago this year, leaving here Oct. 1.

The board of directors of the Cowden school, T. D. Reynolds, J. Q. Adams and John Wakefield, have added a fourth year course to the high school which has been badly needed for a long time. School commenced Monday, Sept 10, with the following teachers: High school, Prof William Steele, principal, Cloyd Wright, assistant principal; Miss Esther Hunt of Chicago, fifth room, Clyde E. Howe fourth room, Miss Verta Middlesworth third room, Miss Bertha Baird second room, Miss Grace Jayne, first room Miss Anna Torrence janitor, David Torrence

The W. H. M. S. was entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Sellors Tuesday afternoon, Sept 11

Rev. F. K. Crews, who has been pastor of the Methodist church here for the past two years, will go to Latham.

Rev. Mr. Sullivan has been sent here by the Methodist conference. He comes here from Witt.

RADFORD.

A light frost fell here Monday night, but did no damage to the crops.

M. Neal is convalescent after a serious illness.

School at Fame is progressing nicely with Miss Barnett as teacher.

Miss Pauline Dassler is attending high school in Assumption.

Fred Cline of Decatur, visited here with J. M. Sinnard Wednesday.

Mrs. S. N. Haverfield and son Lyle, of Assumption, spent Sunday here at C. H. Maury's

Rev. Ora Davis is attending the campmeeting this week at Groveland.

Rev Mr. Howard of India a returned missionary, will give a free lecture on missions and customs of India, Sunday night at Fame church.

The W. M society of Fame church will hold a bakery sale for the benefit of the home work in Assumption Saturday.

A. C. Bassler and family Oscar Workman and wife and Cecil Workman and family attended the state fair Tuesday.

E. M. Gidel returned home Sunday from Missouri.

GERMAN FARMER DEAD AT ARTHUR

Arthur, Sept. 12 John Clausen, a well known German farmer living two miles east of here, died Monday of bronchial trouble.

The funeral was held from the Evangelical Zion church Wednesday morning. Rev. Mr. Jerger, the pastor, officiated Interment was in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Mr. Clausen was 60 years old

WHITE FROST.

A white frost was evident here Tuesday morning but apparently did no damage.

MACON.

Decatur visitors Saturday were John Van Gundy and family Mr. and Mrs. Seth Curr, Mrs. O. E. Vollmer, Mrs. Alice Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kraschel, Miss Hazel Lybaus, J. Croson, N. Lancaster and A. Willard.

Harold Elliott and family of Lakewood, spent several days of last week with relatives in this city.

Miss Ethel Barnett of Decatur, a former principal of the Macon high school, was the guest of Mrs. Florence McGee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hoover and daughter, Janet, were the guests of relatives in Decatur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McLaughlin and children, of near Dalton City, Mr. and Mrs. William McLaughlin and children of this city were the guests of Mrs. G. A. McLaughlin sunday.

Relatives of T. Willoughby were called to his bedside at his home in Decatur Saturday and there is no hopes for his recovery. Mr. Willoughby formerly lived for a number of years on his farm west of Macon, before retiring and moving to Decatur.

Mrs. Dan Kalipe returned home Monday after visiting relatives in Macon the past week.

Miss Lela Carr left Saturday for Normal, where she will attend the university the coming term.

Mr. Guthridge ad family of Stonington, have moved into Mrs. Lena Bafford's property, recently vacated by J. N. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Glenn and Miss Gladys Chynoweth were among the Decatur visitors Monday.

D. L. Cooper of Shubonier, visited relatives west of town Tuesday.

Miss Louise Rice has returned from a visit with relatives.

Miss Ida Spaeth, who has been working among tuberculosis cases in Decatur for several weeks, will give a talk at the Methodist church Sunday evening. This will also be a union meeting of both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches. Miss Spaeth will also remain in this city Monday to look after tuberculosis cases here

Miss Mary Anderson is spending the week with her parents before leaving for Jacksonville, where she is engaged in teaching mathematics

A. Schafer and W Lancaster were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Browning of Decatur, transacted business in Macon Tuesday.

Mrs N. L. Patterson spent a few days of this week with her son Jesse Patterson and wife

BLUE MOUND.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Bradley, Mrs Charles Bradley, Misses Esther Short, Sylvia Bith, Mila Gabriel and Mrs. John Short were in Decatur Monday

Mr. and Mrs Perey Kreidler of Chicago are visiting at the home of Miss Mary Kreidler.

Born, Friday, Sept 7 to Mr. and Mrs George Richtie, a son. He has been named Arthur George.

Mr. and Mrs H C. Shults, Mr. and Mrs A. C. Shults attended the state fair Tuesday.

Misses Lelah Sunderland and Fern Scott visited Gladys Robison at Decatur over Sunday.

The Odd Fellows' hall in Blue Mound was the scene of an enjoyable occasion Saturday evening. While about twenty-five Odd Fellows surprised the Rebekahs by breaking in on their regular meeting, bringing with them ice cream and cake A good social time was reported.

Mrs. William Gray and children of Lexington, are here visiting her mother Mrs Ida Scott.

Misses Louise Donnson Margarite Buzan Violet Bean entered Millikin university at Decatur Monday.

W. B. Graham and daughter, and Miss Challie Moore were Carlinville visitors Sunday.

School is closed for the rest of the week on account of teachers' institute at Decatur.

Mrs. John Daniels and Mrs. Oliver Daniels were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Elmer Blanchard was taken to St. Mary' hospital in Decatur Sunday.

MR. BROWN TO GO FRIDAY

Household Goods Will Be Moved the Day Before That.

Rev. J. C. Brown, who has been transferred from St. Paul's Methodist church to the pastorate at Pittsfield, by the Illinois conference, expects to load his household goods on a car Thursday. He and his wife, however, will not leave until Friday or Saturday.

Mr. Brown regrets greatly having to give up his work in Decatur This is peculiarly so because of the fact that this church was organized by him and has been under his charge ever since its organization He felt, in many respects, as if he should have continued his work here, instead of taking work elsewhere, and he fully expected that he would be returned to this place. However, as the change has been made he is preparing to move, and has ordered a car for his household goods

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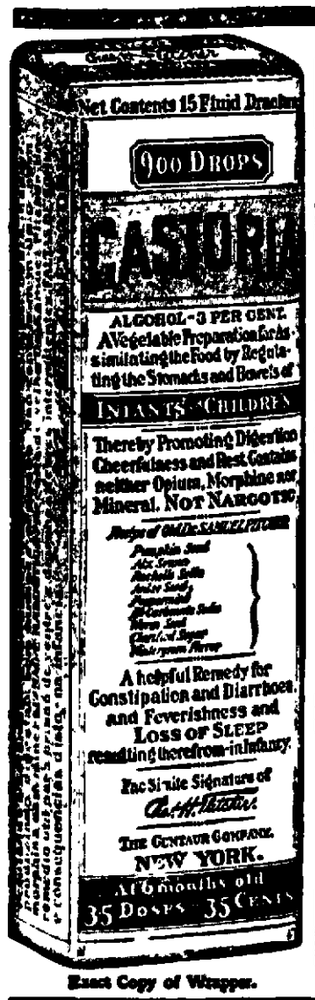

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"I think 6 cents a bushel will be about right," said one farmer yesterday.

"Why, think of it," said another farmer "At 10 cents a bushel, as corn is this year, corn shuckers will make from $8 to $10 a day."

"I'll admit that 10 cents a bushel looks like a good deal,' said one corn shucker, "but if that is the prevailing price, of course, I'm going to get it"

WILL GO BACK TO IT

'I think I'll take a month's layoff and shuck corn,' said a railroad official.

'Did you ever shuck corn? he was asked by one who knew that the heaviest labor he had done for years was to handle a telegraph key and a pen.

"Did I" Well, it might take me a little while to get broken in, but when I get in condition I'd show some of these corn shuckers a pace I have left a trail of blood across the corn field from cracked hands'

"They have got past all that now They shuck with gloves"

"Maybe they do, but a man shucking corn with gloves is about as handy as a cat catching mice with gloves."

CALLS IT $2 CORN

The price for shucking corn heretofore has ranged from 3 to 4 cents a bushel Four cents has been the prevailing price for the last two years and it was hard earned money for shuckers at that on account of the condition of the corn Shuckers argue that 10 cents a bushel for $2 corn is not as high for the farmer as 3 cents a bushel for 50-cent corn

A Piatt county farmer went to the Indiana state fair at Indianapolis to see a much touted corn shucking machine made by one of the big implement concerns He didn't see it and he admitted his disappointment The concern was exhibiting corn shredders and corn binders but no corn shucker

Fry at Stewardson.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church of Stewardson will hold its annual chicken fry Saturday evening, Sept. 15, at the Concrete hotel at that place. The price per plate will be 25 cents. The fry is open to everybody.

NEIGHBORS BACK IN J. P. COURT

Warrants Issued on Two Different Charges.

After a period of quietness covering several months some neighbors at the vicinity of Wilbur and Sawyer streets in Walnut Grove are back into the justice courts with another neighborhood squabble that has resulted in three warrants with the promise of more to come,

On complaint of Mabel Meek Harold Turner is arrested on a city warrant charging him with assault on the Meek children, while Frances and Cletus Davis are arrested charged with using profane language in front of the Meek children. Each was placed under $25 bond to appear for trial on next Monday morning

It is probable that other arrests will be made and the cases will be set for the same time Some of those at least, who are mixed up in this affair were in a family squabble before Justice R E Cartwright some months ago and at that time both sides were warned to go home and quit fighting and the cases were dismissed.

FROM SUMMER TILL WINTER

Natural Conclusion as to Length of Delay on Railroad Crossing.

Last Wednesday evening, the day of the big demonstration for the drafted men, everybody was hurrying home to supper in order to get back in time for the parade As it happened, the Wabash crossings from Water street west were blocked most of the time from 6 o'clock till 7 30, one long freight after another dragging over the crossings and most of them stopping. The 6 o'clock Water street car was blocked fifteen minutes It seemed like a week to the passengers, who were eager to get home After waiting and waiting for what seemed an interminable time a passenger happened to look out and see two girls on the sidewalk also waiting for the crossing They had on coats and fur collars effected by ultra-fashionable folk this summer, even in the hottest weather

"My God, look at that" he said indicating the girls "We have arrived here till winter."

FINE ROW OF CATALPA TREES

Attracted Attention of Inspection Party at Roach School.

One of the things which attracted the attention of the public school building inspection party at the Roach school last week was the row of catalpa trees along the front of the school yard There are no other such catalpa trees in Decatur, probably no other trees of such size except a few native sycamores in some of the parks These catalpas are, of course, transplanted trees By actual measurement one of these trees is over four feet in diameter at a height of two feet from the ground There are seven of them and some of them possibly a trifle larger than the one that was measured The catalpa is a tree of quick growth, but at that these trees could not have acquired their size short of fifty or sixty years.

NO CHANGE IN COAL PRICE

Stays at $3.40 Ton at Mine and 60 Cents for Delivery.

The local coal situation remains unchanged "I don't believe there will be any change now," said Jesse Corzine of the Decatur Coal Company "I don't know much more about the situation than any one else in the community but it seems to me that the proposed local arrangement which is talked of is for the purpose of protecting the consumer against unreasonable charges by coal men who might try to take advantage of the situation"

Prices remain unchanged in Decatur, $3 40 at the mine for screened lump with 60 cents for delivery charges

FISHING CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Will Try to Get More Game Fish for the Lake.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Decatur Fishing club was held Tuesday night The club decided to get another supply of game fish from the state with which to stock the lake A few minor changes were made in the by-laws of the club, and the following officers were elected

President—A I McNabb
Vice President—W. H Peters
Secretary-treasurer—W. P Shade
Directors—H H Corman, three years A Diller, two years, W E Surface, one year

SENT CLOCK AS PRESENT

Pan American Sales Manager Remembered by Friends.

A. H Wyatt, general sales manager of the Pan American Motors Corporation was married in Chicago last Tuesday evening to Miss Marie Keteny and they are now living at 711 Junior Terrace in that city

Mr Wyatt has gone to Chicago to take general charge of the Chicago branch sales office of the Pan American Company.

His associates in the Decatur offices sent the couple a fine mahogany "grandfather's" clock

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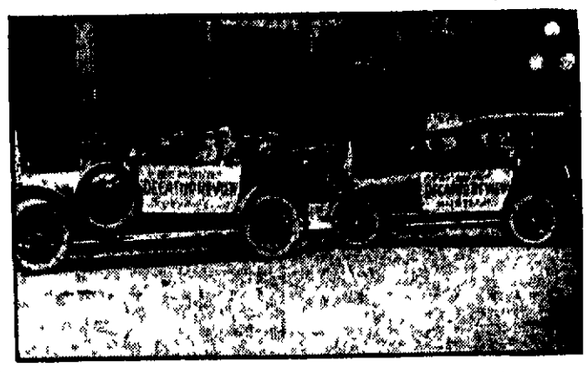
THE REVIEW HUSTLERS

From left to right—Top row—Glennis Moran, Arnold Moore, Arthur Moffett.

Front row—Everett Wright, Russell Bailey, Frank Conant, Shelby Tapscott, Robert Moessner, Walter Lorenz, Robert Butt, Clyde Conant, Richard Head, W. H Coonradt



All ready for the start from The Review office on their way to Springfield

SWELLED STATE FAIR ATTENDANCE

Pictures of One Lively Bunch of First Day Visitors.

The Review huntlers from the circulation added somewhat to the attendance at the state fair the first day and added materially to the liveliness of the big show

Wearing badges stating that they were from Decatur and The Review, the boys saw all there was to be seen in the day they put in in Springfield State capitol, Lincoln monument and all other sights in addition to the fair were inspected by the sharp eyed youngsters who are already learning to hustle in this world

$5 ADVANCE IS IN FREIGHT

Still a Real Advance in Food Prices Is Expected.

The price of Ford automobiles has advanced $5 and it is explained that this advance is for the advance in freight. C A. Starr, the local agent for the Ford car, goes to St. Louis Wednesday. He says that he has been called there to meet the factory agent to talk over contracts and he would not be surprised to be told that an actual advance in the price of the car in addition to the added $5 for the increased freight charges.

YEARLY "WALK OUT" BY Y. W. C. A.

New J. M. U. Girls Get Acquainted With Older Ones.

One big camp fire surrounded by ten smaller ones greeted the University girls who accepted the invitation of the College Y. W. C A. to the annual "Walk-out" Tuesday afternoon Each new girl was taken charge of by one of the older students and they walked to a vacant lot near Powers Lane Here they found the camp fires presided over by the president of the Y. W. C. A., Frede Smith, and the ten cabinet members These officers told of the work of the association in the university and then the fires were brought into use to roast the wieners, which suddenly made their appearance. This "Walk-out" every year gives the new girls and the old a chance to become acquainted with each other

KITCHENETTE IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Oglesby Teachers Collect China and Exhibit Skill.

One of the discoveries of the school inspection party in the Oglesby school last Friday was a dainty kitchenette in the teachers' cloak room This school is practically outside the city It is remote from boarding houses and restaurants The teachers cannot go home to lunch and they were forced to the necessity of lunching in the school building They got together a miscellaneous collection of china that would do honor to an old curiosity shop a few simple cooking utensils Their skill in cookery they brought in part from their mothers' kitchens and part from experience in preparing midnight spreads as college co-eds, and they are able to prepare some very appetizing little meals.

It is also necessary for some, if not all of the teachers, to remain in this building for the reason that a number of pupils are obliged to bring lunches to school and remain in the building or on the grounds.

Speaker Sunday.

Dr L C Lord president of the Eastern Illinois Normal school at Charleston, will be the principal speaker at the commencement exercises of the First Methodist Sunday school which will be held at the church next Sunday evening.

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SPORTS

M'COWN PROBABLE FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

Prospects for Good Season at J. M. U.

Forrest McCown, a junior in the university, and a member of the Millikin university football team for three years, is picked as the captain for the coming year.

Owing to the fact that Kyle MacWherter, captain elect, has joined the marines and is now in active service, the team is without a captain, and the choice narrows down to Clarence Cox, who plays his last year of varsity football this year, and Forrest McCown, who enters upon his third year.

McCown and Cox have been the star ends for Millikin for the last two years and promise to hold their positions against all comers this season. Cox has been prominent in other branches of athletics and has held numerous honors.

ELECTION.

The election of the captain will be held either Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning. A football manager will be elected to take the place of Floyd Yockey, who was chosen last year, but who has also enlisted.

"Prospects were never better," declared Coach N. G. Wann, Wednesday morning. "The cool weather is enabling us to get started on our practice schedule earlier than I thought would be possible. The material this year is by far some of the best that we have had since I have been at Millikin. We have seven old men back; that is, varsity men, and we have about twenty-two who have come out for practice from the freshmen class."

BY OCT. 6.

Every effort will be bent toward whipping the team into shape for the opening game of the season, Oct. 6 when Millikin plays Butler college at Indianapolis.

Tibbetts, 200-pound tackle from St. Louis, is one of the best looking prospects that has shown up so far, while Luth, 185-pound tackle from Kankakee, is another rival for a line position. Adkins and Day of Bement are picked as likely stars, while Dickinson and Anderson promise to make permanent berths on the squad.

Progress of The Pennant Races

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
White Sox	91	47	.659	....	....
Boston	81	52	.609	.612	.604
Cleveland	74	62	.544	.531	.536
Detroit	68	68	.500	.507	.492
New York	65	69	.485	.488	.481
Washington	62	70	.470	.474	.466
St. Louis	53	80	.381	....	....
Philadelphia	47	85	.356	.361	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
New York	85	47	.644	.647	.639
Philadelphia	71	58	.561	.564	.558
St. Louis	75	63	.543	.547	.540
Cubs	70	68	.507	.511	.504
Cincinnati	66	70	.485	.488	.480
Brooklyn	61	80	.469	.473	.466
Boston	58	71	.450	.454	.446
Pittsburgh	44	80	.351	.356	.328

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.

Pittsburgh, 3; St. Louis, 0. Second game: St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 2.
Chicago, 6; Cincinnati, 5. Second game: Chicago, 5, Cincinnati, 1.
Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 1. Second game: Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 1.
New York, 8, Brooklyn, 2 (10 innings). Second game: New York, 2; Brooklyn, 1.

American League.

New York, 1; Philadelphia, 0. Second game, New York, 4, Philadelphia, 1.
Cleveland, 1; Detroit, 0.
Washington, 4; Boston, 3.
Open date for St. Louis and Chicago.

American Association.

Minneapolis, 6; Indianapolis, 1.
Louisville, 1; St. Paul, 0.
Kansas City, 2; Toledo, 1. Second game, Kansas City, 7; Toledo, 1.
Milwaukee, 8; Columbus, 2. Second game: Milwaukee, 11; Columbus, 0.

TODAY'S GAMES.

National League.

Cincinnati at Chicago, clear; 3 p.m.
Brooklyn at New York, two games, clear; first game at 1:15 p.m.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, clear; 3:15 p.m.
Philadelphia at Boston, clear; 3:15 p.m.

American League.

Cleveland at Detroit, clear, 3:15 p.m.
New York at Philadelphia, clear, 3 p.m.
Boston at Washington, clear; 3:30 p.m.
No other games scheduled.

American Association.

Milwaukee at Columbus, two games, clear; first game 1:30 p.m.
Kansas City at Toledo, clear; 3 p.m.
Minneapolis at Indianapolis, clear, 3:15 p.m.
St. Paul at Louisville, clear; 3 p.m.

BOSTON GOLFER MAKES BEST SCORE

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Nearly all of the 122 professional golfers entered for the western open championship to be played Thursday and Friday, today warmed up for the 72-hole contest in a 36-hole preliminary at the Westmoreland Country club. Some good golf was played yesterday in the 18-hole event for professionals and amateurs.

The best score thus far turned in is 69, made by M. J. Brady of Boston in yesterday's event, but it did not constitute a record for the course. Splendid golf was exhibited also by E. E. Foord of St. Joseph, Mo., who, with his partner, scored a best ball of 68.

Walter Hagen of Rochester, N. Y., title holder, appeared on the links today for the first time, as did James Harnes of Philadelphia, champion in 1916. Tom McNamara of New York, champion in 1915, yesterday shot his third 75 over the course this week.

Battling Nelson Here.

Battling Jack Nelson, former welter weight boxer, was in Decatur Tuesday. Nelson says he is trying to promote boxing matches in downstate towns. He plans to supply the "talent" from Chicago.

STAGG'S ASSISTANT GETS COACH JOB

Williamstown, Mass., Sept. 12. — The Williams College Athletic Council announced today that Fred Walker, a pitcher on the New Haven team of the Eastern League had accepted appointment as Williams football coach for the coming season. Walker was assistant to Coach Stagg of the University of Chicago for several seasons.

HERE ARE WORLD SERIES PRICES

St. Louis — President Johnson of the American League says that if Chicago wins the American League pennant the plans for a reduction in seat prices for the world's series will be carried out as far as the games played in the American park are concerned.

"The new scale will be simply this," said Mr. Johnson. "Seats will be just double in price over those prevailing during the playing season. If Chicago wins the American pennant Comiskey will have 7,000 bleacher seats at 50 cents, 5,000 pavilion seats at $1 and the entire grand stand, reserved, for $1.50. Box seats will cost $5.

"This, I think, places the world's series games within the reach of all.

"Of course I have nothing to say concerning prices at the National League park, but when the commission arranges details I hope the other league will accept these prices.

"If Chicago wins I think there is little doubt that the series will begin Saturday, Oct. 6, as that will enable us to get in a Sunday game in Chicago."

CLINTON HIGH TO HAVE GOOD ELEVEN

Clinton, Sept. 12.—Prospects are now bright for a first-class football team for Clinton this fall. As appearances now are, the team promises to average around 155 to 160 men who have had more or less football experience.

The backfield will be particularly strong if present prospects work out, the men to have an average around 150 pounds. Last evening thirty men reported for practice, and if the present interest can be kept up two full teams will be available throughout the season.

642 PUPILS IN VANDALIA SCHOOLS

Vandalia, Sept. 12—School reopened here Monday, with the following enrollment: main building, 230, Washington, 191, Lincoln school, 102, High school, 119. There are 23 tuition pupils, most are from Fayette county, but a few from other neighboring counties. The enrollment is not quite as large this year as in former years, but some of the grades are badly crowded.

SNEAK SNATCHED PURSE.

Miss Ethel Guinn met with a loss of a sum of money in Chicago Saturday. She left here last Thursday in company with her sister, Miss Alma, for Chicago, intending to leave there Saturday for Hardin, Montana, where she has a position and to make her home with her brother, Charles. Saturday afternoon she purchased her ticket to Montana, and had it in her purse with other cash and small articles, carrying it in her hand, while walking along the street it was snatched from her hand and the thief was lost in the crowd. Miss Guinn sent word of her loss to her father in this city, and Mr. Guinn on Monday sent the much needed money to her. She probably will start today on her western trip.

NEW SCHOOL TEACHER.

Rev. J. W. Ramsey has accepted a position in the public schools here in the science department. His parents, Prof. Alfred Ramsey and wife, of Chicago, are expected here from Chicago to make this their home.

ISIAH ARNEY FOUND DEAD.

Isiah Arney, aged about sixty years, was found dead in a corn field Sunday. He had gone out the afternoon before with his gun to hunt, and as he did not return a search was made and he was found dead near his home. It is supposed he had died of heart failure of which he had been a sufferer. Funeral services were held Monday and interment in Otsego township. Mrs. Arney was found dead in bed about eighteen months ago.

Small Smash.

A Bittel-Leftwich car, trying to go around another car, as it turned south on Water off William street Tuesday afternoon, struck an Edward street car. The front axle of the auto was bent and the lights smashed. The street car suffered no damage.

NEW I. C. POWER CHUTE AT CLINTON

Clinton, Sept. 12.—The new power coal chute at the Illinois Central shops will be an innovation in railroad work in Central Illinois. A force of men is now finishing the pit which is twenty-five feet deep.

The pit is about twenty feet across and a concrete basin is being laid. This is followed by the tower, which will be ninety feet high, counting from the surface to the apex. A steel structure will follow, with the mechanical devices for handling the coal to the tenders of the big locomotives of the 1,500 and 1,000 class.

A special motor will be installed to handle the elevator. The coal will be dropped into the pit, and from there carried to the top of the tower. In its descent it will be automatically broken, screened and separated, landing in the tender ready for the fireman.

While this work, as well as many other improvements, are being pushed at the local Illinois Central shops, it is understood that the new coal chute is not promised for service until the coming spring. A contractor has a big force of carpenters at work on the new roundhouse, and this improvement will be completed before the snow flies.

FIVE WOMEN AT WORK.

An advance in salaries has recalled a number of car repairers and helpers who quit the shops early in the summer on account of offers of better wages in other lines. Five women are now employed in different branches at the shops aside from the clerical force.

TO NAME DEWITT COUNTY FARM HEAD

Clinton, Sept. 12.—The board of supervisors met yesterday. After the bills which had been presented were assigned to the several committees the board adjourned until today when the selection of a superintendent of the county poor farm will be made. Those who have filed applications for the position are J. W. Persons, R. H. Edmiston, George W. Hayen, H. G. Longbrake of Clinton, Grant Pennington of Clark township and William Fields of Missouri, but formerly of this city.

The board listened to a communication from the secretary of the Supervisors' and County Clerk's Association, who will hold their meeting in Joliet on Oct. 7, 8 and 9, and it was decided that County Clerk Kemp and two members of the board be sent as representatives of the county at this meeting.

CARL SULLIVAN DIES.

Carl, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Phares Sullivan of South Clinton, died in the Warner hospital yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He had been a patient in the hospital for the past four weeks suffering with an infected knee. A few days ago pneumonia developed and this complication was too much for the lad to withstand in his weakened condition, and death resulted. Deceased is survived, besides the parents, by two sisters and a brother.

BUYS 200-ACRE FARM.

W. W. Noe, assessor of Dewitt township, recently purchased the M. L. Cumming farm, three and one-half miles north of Weldon, for $200 per acre. Last spring Mr. Noe sold his 160-acre farm in Dewitt township for $225 per acre. The farm purchased has been managed for the past six years by C. A. Barnes.

BUYS LARSEN LAND.

Edward Wade has purchased the fifty acres of land belonging to the Peter Larsen estate. The land was sold by W. H. Ely, as trustee of the estate, and brought $200 an acre.

ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Nellie Stokes, to Walter Staunton, a young railroad man of Clinton. A number of parties in Miss Stokes' honor have been planned for this week. Miss Mace Smith entertained with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday night and on Thursday night the Young Ladies' society will entertain with a shower at the home of Miss Edna Burke, 526 East Washington street. Miss Stokes is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes, of East Johnson street. Mr. Staunton is employed in the local Illinois Central shops.

CIRCUIT COURT ADJOURNS.

Circuit court was adjourned Tuesday afternoon after a day and a half spent in setting cases for trial. Court will again be in session for one day on Friday, Sept. 21, after which it will be adjourned until Oct. 29, when the regular jury cases will be called. The fact that the attorneys of the county are now occupied in the preparation of cases for the appellate and supreme court caused the court to adjourn until the above date.

NEW WELDON SPRINGS BRIDGE COMPLETED

Clinton, Sept. 12—The new bridge on the Ziegler road leading to Weldon Springs has been completed under direction of the state highway commission. The new structure is of concrete re-enforced by steel. This is somewhat of a relief, as motorists and others who were compelled to detour quite a distance over roads which had not been kept in as good repair as this road had been. This bridge, now that it is completed, is one of the best in the county.

BEMENT SENDS RED CROSS SUPPLIES

Bement, Sept. 12.—The local Red Cross chapter sent another box of goods to the Piatt county chapter Sept. 8. There were of knitted articles: fourteen pairs wristlets, five pairs socks, twenty-eight scarfs, four helmets, three caps, three sleeveless jackets, eighty-three sponges, fifty-one wash cloths. Hospital supplies: Four dozen bed socks, six dozen operating leggings, eighty dozen gauze sponges, eleven dozen gauze compresses, four dozen surgical caps, nine dozen towels, one dozen hot water bottle covers, one dozen head bandages, two dozen "T" bandages, four and a half dozen substitute handkerchiefs, eighteen pajama suits, five nightingales, five ambulance pillows, eleven bed shirts, one bath robe, twenty cloths and three rolls old linen.

Mrs. Morris Goddard, whose home is fifty miles south of Kansas City, Mo., arrived Tuesday for a short visit to her daughter, Mrs. Jeff Dye and family. The Goddard family moved away from Bement twenty-two years ago, having lived here more than twenty years. Mrs. Goddard says that a second crop of vegetables is ready to be cared for at her home, the first crop came to a standstill when the weather was so hot; then when the rains came a fresh start was made and everything is in fine condition now.

Rev. and Mrs. N. C. Shirey were in Decatur Monday. Their daughter, Miss Hazelbelle, who has been in the nurses' training class at Macon County hospital since April, has entered Millikin university.

Charles Fairbanks of Assumption, visited his sister, Mrs. William Fairbanks, Jr., on his way home from Pennsylvania, where he was called by the serious illness of a brother, who was much improved when he left, there.

Mrs. H. A. East of Decatur, visited her mother, Mrs. Alice Thompson Tuesday, on her way home from Toledo, O., where she visited her son, Everett East.

Mrs. Daniel Hall will be hostess to the Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society Thursday. The program will be: "A Forward Outlook, Africa;" Devotions, Mrs. E. Miles; "Present Responsibility," Mrs. W. A. Hammond; "War Experiences in West Africa," Mrs. S. W. Bodman; "Black Sheep," Miss Rebecca Clark; roll call, "Heroes of Africa."

Glenn Fairbanks attended the Hammond picnic Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Camp are visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. R. E. McKinney of Decatur, was a guest of Mrs. William Fairbanks, Jr., last Thursday.

Dr. T. B. Lewis and wife and Mrs. O. D. Noe of Hammond were guests at William Fairbanks, Jr., Sunday.

Ivra Burr has received orders to report in Peoria Sept. 12. He enlisted as hospital apprentice in Decatur June 27.

John Carlin of the eleventh aero squadron at Belleville is here visiting his mother Mrs. D. Carlin.

Members of the Christian church and congregation met at the parsonage Sunday to celebrate Mrs. D. M. Durham's birthday. They carried baskets filled for a bountiful dinner.

Curtis Camp left for his home in Coldwater, Mich., Tuesday. He has been the guest of his brothers, W. M. and J. M. Camp several weeks.

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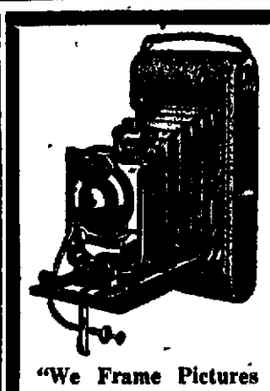
NOTE—A leading druggist when shown the above article said: "Yes, tescum is a very remarkable remedy for the drink habit. It is harmless, wonderfully effective and is having an enormous sale. I advise everyone who wishes to destroy the liquor habit to give it a trial." You take no risk with Tescum as it is sold in this city under a steelbound money-refund guarantee by The Decatur Drug Co., and other first class druggists. They guarantee it to do the work or refund the money.



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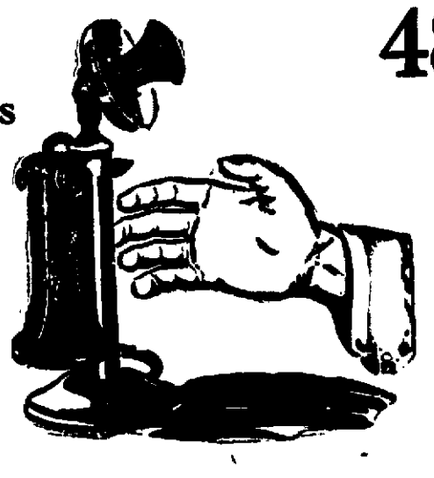

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SHOW THE BARONS.

It looks as if there will be difficulty in getting coal in this town when real cold weather sets in. It is told that few basements are filled at this time. Most of them should be filled before the coming of winter, as many people learned in other years.

The trouble here is with the price. It is costing $4 a ton to get screened lump coal in the basement. Some time ago an order came from Washington which fixed a much lower price. People here continue to have a feeling that order will be found to amount to something.

It is natural they should have this feeling. Our people have been raised to believe that when the federal authorities make a move it is pretty sure to count. They might not pin much faith to an order from the city council or one from the state authorities; but it is thought to be something else when the federal authorities speak.

Many coal operators throughout the country appear to be ignoring the price order that came from Washington. Some of the coal publications are advising all the operators to organize and fight the Washington order. On the other hand there are mines selling coal at prices fixed by President Wilson in his proclamation; but there is more business than these can supply.

It looks as if it is up to the federal authorities to get busy and see to it that the price order is obeyed; either carry the thing through to a finish or drop it entirely. A challenge is thrown down by the operators who ignore the order of the president; when this stage is reached it looks as if the government will have to accept and go into the fight. If federal orders are not to be obeyed it would be much better never to issue them.

There is that old feeling that exists among the people, that when the federal authorities say something it must go everywhere in the country. It is always worth while to do something for the preservation of that feeling among the people. Heretofore it has been an asset on the side of the government at Washington; it should not be thrown away lightly.

And if there is a fight in this matter we will, if wise, place all your bets on the government to win.

But all this will not help any if the people of Central Illinois go into the winter months without coal in the basement.

THE STATE FAIR.

It is mentioned there is little travel this year to the state fair at Springfield. On some transportation lines it is less than a fourth of what it was a year ago—at least such is the story for the first two days of this week.

Everybody should bear in mind that if he wishes to attend this fair this year he will have to do so this week. It isn't something that can be served as a short order any time you happen to get ready. This is state fair week, and next week will be too late.

Possibly not as many people feel interested in state fair this year. These are war times and perhaps they are a trifle hard on fairs. Then there is that strike at Springfield, leaving the impression it may not be a pleasant city to visit just at this time. At such a time it doesn't take much to make he average person say he will put off his fair visit to another year.

We are not as interested in fairs as we might be. The generation that was here just before us had one of these annual shows in every county, and they were an institution of note. But most people in this generation do not appear to have inherited the yearning for fairs, it doesn't take much to cause them to stay away.

This perhaps should not be. The fair gave us a chance to learn much about the progress the community was making, and of course it enabled one to get pointers from the neighbors to help in his own work. This country has had its wonders in development in the past twenty-five years; the fair should have much more to make appeal to this generation.

THE PUBLIC'S INTERESTS.

You will observe that the Public Utilities commission of this state is a good deal more than ornamental.

A few days since the subject of the rate to be charged for heat in Decatur was before the commission. It entered an order that old rates shall not be disturbed for the present. There is to be time for an extended and thorough hearing in the matter, after which the commission may have something to say.

A somewhat similar story comes from Shelbyville. A water company in that town proposed to increase the rate; it made application for authority to do so. The commission entered a ruling that there shall be no disturbance of the old rate until after there is time for a hearing from all concerned. It is another little matter that isn't settled offhand.

And there is a feeling that in all these cases there will be no advance in rates until after a very strong showing is made; these advances are not permitted on slight grounds.

We have seen the same thing worked out in the federal government through the Interstate Commerce commission. We know how difficult it is for the railroads of the country to make a showing that will secure them the privilege of advancing rates a small per cent. Many feel that in cases there has been injustice to the railroads. When there is a commission to regulate prices to be charged for a service the public can be pretty sure that its interests will get all the attention they should have.

IT CAN'T BE DONE.

Luxburg, the chief German representative at Buenos Aires, advised Berlin that when it destroyed an Argentine merchant ship it should do so in thorough fashion, so thoroughly that no trace of the disaster should be left to tell the tale ashore.

By all accounts German submarine commanders have tried out this program in more than one instance. Men from the destroyed ships go away in open boats; later they were taken aboard the upper deck of the submarine and when everything was ready the U-boat was submerged and they were left to float away and drown.

But it is hard to wipe out every trace. In at least two of the instances mentioned somebody survived to tell the story. And if there is no survivor the trace of German frightfulness and brutality will still remain. The drowned ones will be missed at some fireside somewhere in the world, and those who wait and watch in vain will at last begin to feel that German devilry and fiendishness did away with their people.

Yes, the trace will remain; it will be burned into the memories of the people of the civilized nations. It will not be erased in a short time.

Luxburg and Berlin are wrong; that kind of thing can't be done so as to leave no trace. They will learn something more about this before a great while—and they will not enjoy the aftermath of the lesson.

It is told that no U-boats got away in that engagement with an American convoy off the coast of France. Our boys of the navy are pretty sure to manage somehow to let the enemy know they are around and never so happy as when they are on the job.

Young American soldiers in camp are getting a course in training that calls for seventeen hours a day; it should not take a great while of that to make first class fighting men.

Russia seems to be doing some fighting on the front where the Germans are; its civil war may be nothing more than an overflow meeting of men with the fighting spirit.

This is the biggest corn crop we have had in many years, and it would be a shame to have frost get our best effort.

Those Maine men can't see how the women folks will be any help in the voting.

OUR NAVY IS DOING ITS PART

For military reasons the facts cannot be detailed, but it may be said that the United States destroyers are very active in the protection of vessels in Germany's "forbidden zone," and that the strain on officers and men is heavy. They are exposed to danger from the enemy and from rought weather. "Four days on and four days off" for officers and men on the destroyers and patrols hunting U-boats on the other side means that the navy is doing its full share of hard work; for "four days on" spells for them no rest, little sleep, hard work and hardship. The crews come into port utterly exhausted, but after four days ashore go back prepared for another turn with the submarines. When the number of the ships and their crews and what they have accomplished is told, the work of the navy will show that its worth has not been less than its prestige called for.—Army and Navy Journal of Sept. 8.

Home Redding Course for Citizen Soldiers

(Issued by the War Department.)

THE SPIRIT OF THE SERVICE.

The spirit that dominated the American Armies at Bunker Hill, New Orleans, Buena Vista, Gettysburg, and Santiago will just as surely dominate the National Army on the battle fields of Europe.

This spirit is a compound. It is made up in part of democratic feeling, in part of respect and love for the Nation, and in part of Americanism.

The United States Army has always been and will always remain a democratic Army. Every man in the Army is made to feel that his brains and his individuality count for something. It is not merely a big, soulless machine that moves with mechanical precision. It is a "team." Each man in the team is presumed to be intelligent and self-reliant.

DEMOCRACY IN ARMY.

Of course there can be no teamwork without regularity and strict discipline. This is equally true of a football or baseball team. There must also be various ranks and degrees of authority. And sometimes this necessary organization and close regulation creates an impression that the Army is not democratic.

But the fact of the case is that American soldiers accept the reasonable discipline of the Army readily because they have the good sense to realize that these things are necessary. They accept them without losing in the least their real independence as free citizens.

Furthermore, American armies are democratic because the path of promotion is wide open. Any man who has a reasonable amount of ability can practice, can study, can cultivate the qualities of a soldier and a leader, and can work his way up. And this is the real test of democratic army.

In a special sense the National Army is domoratic. A great democracy must always carry on its affairs through chosen representatives. You are doubtless familiar with this principle as it is applied in time of peace. Now it is applied in time of war. Through a process of fair selection the National Army has been picked to represent all parts of the country and all groups of the people. Never has America sent forth an army so truly representative of the Nation.

There are always pessimists in every generation who insist that patriotism is dead or at least decaying. They have not been lacking in recent years. Then comes a crisis such as now confronts us. And always the question of patriotism is answered by a free outpouring of effort, money, and blood on the part of citizens of all types in every section of the country. This is exactly what is now going on—and what will continue to go on with increasing force until the war is brought to a victorious end.

THE POST OF HIGHEST HONOR.

The patriotic spirit which moves the whole country will find its highest expression in its soldiers—the men who are assigned to the post of danger and of honor. They will go all the more willingly since they know that behind them the whole Nation is organizing for the national service. Their spirit will be one of patriotic devotion fully as intense as that of American armies in previous wars.

The spirit of democracy and of patriotism is to be found also in the armies of other nations fighting against German aggression. In addition the National Army will have its own spirit of Americanism. It will have American enthusiasm, good humor, fairness even to the enemy, and self-confidence. It will go at its work not half-heartedly but with a vim. If there are temporary setbacks it will accept them and keep on "plugging." These are some of the American traditions that will enter into the spirit of the National Army.

NATIONAL COUNCIL of DEFENSE

The most appealing part of the National Council of Defense, so far as the women are concerned, is that it interests the poor, the family who has to count the pennies and to watch the nickels. The more wealthy people are also in it, but it so often happens that some of us feel so outside any public endeavor "because we have no money to spare." The N. C. D. asks no more than 10 cents from each woman on registration day, and not that if the dime is not ready, through any cause whatsoever. Those who can spare the dime will do so—many will spare more—and this "more" will make up for those who because of insufficient means at the time will be unable to give. But no woman will be robbed of her privilege to register just because she has no dime to spare. Money or none, we need you to register. The whole purpose is one of "willing service and voluntary effort for the country's need, now or some time hence; at any rate until the close of this war.

When will Miss Warron be here?

Thursday, Sept. 13.

Where will she speak?

First Presbyterian church at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

How many do you suppose will be there?

I can not say definitely, but surely, you and I.

Will that be enough, just you and me?

If every "you" who reads this will be there and each of you will bring one other "you" there will be no spare room.

If I don't live in Decatur can I attend the meetings?

Yes. If you live near Decatur, though some miles distant, you will be included in the Decatur unit by registering your name.

What about the people in Maroa, Warrensburg, Harristown and many other small places outside Decatur, but easy to reach, will we be included also?

Yes. Plans are to be made to organize units in the county.

Decatur reckons up her "sisters, cousins and aunts" by the dozens, by the hundreds, and it is the privilege of every one to come in and pay a visit to the relatives in the city unit, of which our sisters, cousins and aunts are part.

EMMELINE S. BEATTY.

From The People

Was Not Responsible.

Editor Review.—In the article from the people which appeared in last Sunday's Review, signed J. L. F., there seems to be an idea by some that I was responsible, if not the one who wrote the article.

I wish to say that I not only did not know anything about it, but was much surprised that such an article should appear.

In order to vindicate myself and the firm of Myer & Son, I propose to tell just what conversation I had with Mr. Augustine and other members of the board in regard to the awarding of the recent painting contracts.

On the first contract I understood we were beaten. I said, "Well, better luck next time."

On the next two jobs we were informed we had been awarded the contract. On the evening after the next two contracts were let I met a member of the board and he said, "Let's see, did you not get a little job of painting a while back?" I told him I thought we had. He then asked me if I would be surprised if he told me that we had gotten two more jobs. I told him I surely would be. He then said that the board on that afternoon had awarded us the contracts for the French and Pugh schools, but that they were going to bar us from figuring on the rest of the jobs this year. I told him that was satisfactory as we had all we were entitled to.

The next morning I met Mr. Augustine and the following conversation took place:

Mr. Augustine said, "Well, Joe, I guess you heard of your good luck?"

I said, "Yes, sir, I was just reading it in the paper and I was very much surprised as I thought we had our share, and did not want the last two."

Mr. Augustine then said that we had certainly saved the board a bunch of money this year, but that he thought we had about all we could handle as the time was getting short and they were going to bar us from figuring on the rest of the jobs this year. In fact, he said, one member regretted giving us the last two jobs, but that he had told them that unless they could show some valid reason or that we would not finish the contracts according to specifications, he for one would vote to award us the jobs.

I then told him we had about all we wanted and that if he wished to bar us on the rest, it was perfectly satisfactory with us. We then had some other conversation, after which we said, "Good morning."

I wish also to add that in all my experience around the public schools I have never seen them in better physical condition than they are at the present time. Respectfully,

JOSEPH R. MYER.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

SEPT. 12, 1907.

The Decatur chapter, O. E. S., gave a banquet in Eldorado temple for Mrs. Jennie Bell, worthy matron, and to observe its twentieth anniversary.

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George Ehrhart left for Chicago in his Pope-Toledo racer and expected to make the trip in eight hours.

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Midshipman Carl Moore, son of Governor C. B. T. Moore of Samoa, was here to visit relatives.

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At the fifth annual election of the Decatur Cadets, Earl Gordon was elected president; Guy Harrison, vice president; Lester Shipley, secretary, Ralph Redmon, treasurer.

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The salary of Rev. S. H. Bowyer, pastor of the First Baptist church, was raised to $2,500 a year.

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The earnings of the Macon County Abstract office for the first four months of its existence amounted to $1,169.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Miss Alberta Whitmer left for Chicago to study music during the winter.

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L. E. Rogers and Emery Birks rode a mile in 2:07 on a tandem.

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The Sunday school of the Grace Methodist church cleared $25 from a lawn social held on the D. S. Shellabarger lawn.

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Sixty people attended a dance on the new concrete floor of the Fairview park pavilion. It was arranged by Robert I. Hunt and Lute Roby.

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The thermometer registered 93½ degrees.

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COMPANY L OFF TO SOUTH THURSDAY

All But One or Two Entirely Well.

Company L of Decatur will leave Cairo Thursday for Houston, Texas, to spend the winter at Camp Logan. This news was brought to Decatur by M. E. Peniwell, who returned Tuesday night from Cairo, where he went to visit his son, Sergeant Robert Peniwell. A special train of four sleepers and a baggage car will carry the company to Texas, leaving at 8:30 Thursday evening.

ABOUT ALL WELL.

"The boys told me that as soon as they get settled they will write home, telling friends how to address letters so they will reach them promptly," said Mr. Peniwell. "The report that forty members of the company are sick in the hospital is untrue. All of the men are well with a few exceptions. Ten of them have had malaria, two of them pretty bad. All except those two are up and around and all are feeling much better. I talked with the one whose condition is the worst, and he told me he would be able to get out in a day or two. He is the only one who is actually laid up.

FOOTBALL TEAMS.

"The boys have organized two football teams and have been practicing hard and playing several match games. Captain Krigbaum says he will have the best football team at the Texas camp. The boys also have a baseball team. All are in good spirits and anxious to start on the trip south."

From Kentucky in Car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wood Hoffman, with their little daughter and Mrs. Caroline Mills, arrived in Decatur by motor last Monday night from Latonia station, Covington, Ky. After getting their bearings, they left for Blue Mound township, where they will visit Robert H. Coleman. They left home Sunday morning.

MOVED FROM BLOOMINGTON

Truck Drivers Report Roads Fine Most of Way.

Two motor trucks belonging to the Johnson Transfer company of Bloomington arrived in Decatur about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon loaded with household goods. The first one to arrive was a one-ton truck and the other was much larger. Both were heavily loaded. They left Bloomington at noon, covering the distance in something less than five hours. They report the roads as fine. "Oh, there was a little rough road, two or three miles, just north of Clinton, but it was not bad," said one of the drivers. They unloaded and returned to Bloomington that night.

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WITH NEXT CHRISTMAS IN MIND

THE housewife who is given to making home-made sweets at the holidays for her friends will do well to remind herself that a timely preparation for this pleasant task can be made now before summer fruits are out of the market. Fruit pastes make such delectable centers for bonbons and chocolates that no box of holiday sweets is complete unless it contains a few candies having fruit paste centers or at least a few shapes of delicious home-made paste of some rich and elusive flavor.

The following directions for making fruit pastes are given in a recent publication of the Department of Agriculture: Fruit pastes are defined as consisting of boiled-down fruit pulp with sugar added according to the acidity of the fruit. They are improved in flavor if several varieties of fruit are mixed. The paste can be colored red, yellow or green with vegetable coloring liquids. The coloring matter and additional flavor if desired are stirred into the paste just after it is removed from the fire.

The paste is poured out in a half-inch layer on flat dishes or on a slab, the surface first being rubbed with a cloth dipped in salad oil. The dishes are then exposed to draft for a couple of days, after which the paste is cut into shapes. It may be cut with an ordinary knife or with some one of the various sorts of vegetable cutters. The cut pieces are placed on paper and sprinkled with crystallized sugar or with common granulated sugar. After standing for two days more exposed to draft, it is dipped again in sugar and packed in tin or wooden boxes lined with parchment paper and having parchment paper between the layers of paste.

To make peach or apricot paste use one pound of powdered sugar to each pound of pulp. Rub the fruit pulp through a puree strainer and weigh it. Add the sugar, set over a slow fire and cook until very thick so that when a spoon has been passed through it the mass does not run together immediately. Then pour on a flat surface as described above. Raspberry, strawberry and currant pastes may be made in the same manner.

To make paste from quinces take three-fourths of a pound of sugar for each pound of fruit pulp. Wipe the fruit, cut into quarters, remove the flower and core and cook in water until very tender. Rub through a seive, weigh and add the required amount of sugar. Cook until very thick. Scalded and chopped nut kernels may be added. Paste may be made from the pulp remaining after juice has been extracted for jelly making.

Gooseberry paste is made in the proportion of equal weights of sugar and fruit. The berries should be partly ripe and partly under-ripe. Chopped or sliced nuts may be added to gooseberry paste with agreeable results, also different flavors.

Apple paste is made in the proportion of half a pound of powdered sugar to each pound of fruit. The fruit need not be perfect or large fruit. Windfalls will do perfectly well; small apples and those that have imperfect places can be cut up and made serviceable in fruit paste.

Cut the apple in quarters, remove the flower, stem and core, putting into cold water as fast as cut. Boil tender over a very low fire and keep covered. Rub through a course sieve and weigh. Put into the kettle and cook with the sugar, stirring constantly. Apple paste can be variously flavored. It may have vanilla, peppermint, orange or rose geranium flavor. Fine-cut citron or lemon peel or blanched and cut nut meats may be added.

Cherries and plums make good fruit pastes. Any paste may be divided into two parts or into several and each differently colored. Then, just before they are dry, they may be superimposed and sliced down so that the colors will show.

LAURA LEONARD

This Day In Illinois History

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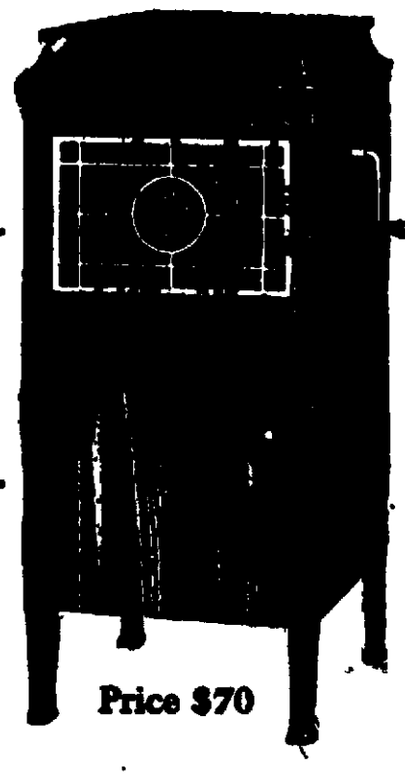
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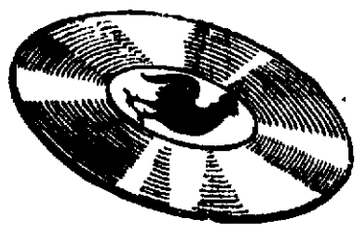

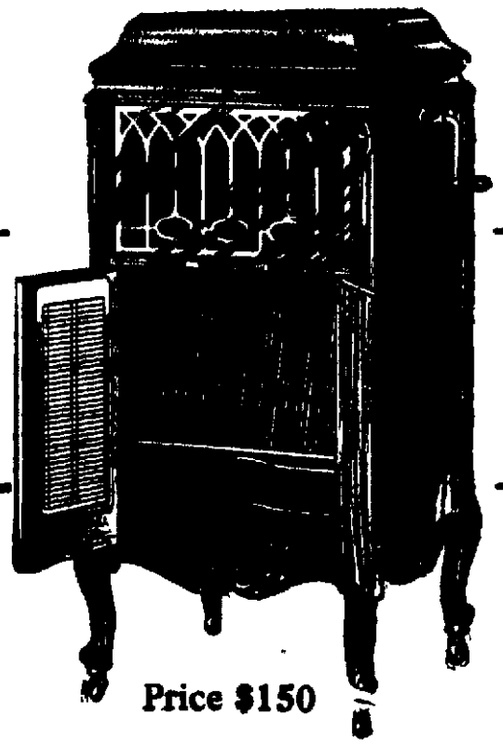
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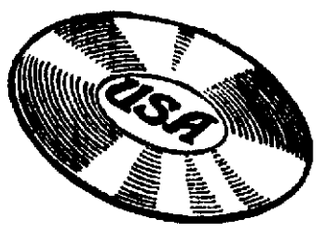

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Society.

IN a beautiful wedding tonight at the Kenney home, 275 Park Place, two of Decatur's most prominent families will be united in the marriage of Miss Helen Kenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kenney and John H. Powers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Powers. There will be about 140 guests at the wedding. Some of the out of town guests are already here, and others are arriving today.

The ceremony will be performed at 8.30 this evening, with the Rev. Chester E. Jenney, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating. The double ring ceremony will be used. The ring bearers will be little Sally Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nicholson, and Helen Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powers.

Miss Frances Kenney, sister of the bride-to-be, will be the maid of honor, and Misses Henrietta Page, Charlotte Kerney, Beatrice Suffern, and Helen Kohler will be bridesmaids. Thatcher Shellabarger will be best man, and the ushers will be Dwight Spencer; Harold B. Kenney, brother of the bride, Carlos Lyon, and Harold Pogue.

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THE dinner given by Jack Powers at the Hotel Orlando Tuesday evening for the Kenney-Powers bridal party was the last of the social events given in honor of Miss Kenney before her wedding, and its was an unusually attractive affair. Place cards and favors were in the form of a miniature bridal party, with the bridesmaids in rainbow colored gowns and the bride hidden in tulle. In the center of the table was an immense bowl of asters, and along the length of the table were scattered pink rose buds. The dinner was five course and was served in the private dining room at the Orlando.

Miss Kenney and Mr. Powers took this occasion to present their gifts to the members of their bridal party. Miss Kenney gave to her maid of honor, Miss Frances Kenney, a sapphire little finger ring, and to her bridesmaids Miss Charlotte Kerney, Miss Henrietta Page, Miss Helen Kohler, and Miss Beatrice Suffern, she presented ostrich fans. Mr. Powers gave to his best man, Thatcher Shellabarger, a gold cigar case, and to his ushers, Carlos Lyon, Harold Kenney, Dwight Spencer, and Harold Pogue, his gifts were silver monogramed belt buckles.

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ABOUT thirty-five women attended the weekly golf luncheon at the Country club Wednesday afternoon. The play this afternoon was the qualifying round for the championship cup, and there was also play for the friendship pin given by the Western Golf association.

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All who expect to attend the dinner-dance at the Country club Thursday night should have their names in by 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

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Pan-Hellenic club members met twice this week to sew for the Red Cross, and invited a number of other women to meet with them. Monday afternoon the meeting was with Mrs. Forrest File, and Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. C. R. Dick. They met twice in order to help out on the rush order for 140 comfort kits for the soldiers.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McDavid have returned from a few days' visit in Chicago.

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Miss Diane Conklin will entertain with a luncheon Thursday at the Fishing club in honor of her guest, Miss Ethel Barbe of Chicago. About twelve girls will be in the party, and after the luncheon they will pass the afternoon in sewing for the Red Cross.

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Asters and marguerites decorated the home of Miss Ora Bellamy this afternoon when she entertained the Alpha Chi Omega alumnae club. It was in the nature of a tea party. The girls had their regular business meeting to begin their year's work.

An out of town guest was Miss Irene Leahy, of Moscow, Idaho, who is spending her vacation here.

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MISS IRENE WARREN, who is to speak in Decatur Thursday morning, and afternoon under the auspices of the National Council of Defense, will arrive in Decatur this evening. She comes here from Urbana. Miss Warren will be entertained at dinner at the Orlando this evening by the local officers of the Council of Defense.

Miss Warren's first talk Thursday will be given at 10 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church and she will speak again in the afternoon at 2. The local women have been working very hard to get all the women of the community interested in Miss Warren's appearance here and to have out a large number of women to hear her. It should be remembered that these talks have been arranged not only for Decatur women but for the women of the surrounding country and nearby towns as well.

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Mrs Forrest File and daughter, Margaret, will leave Thursday for Forrest to spend a few days with Mrs. Charles Allen Luginger.

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Miss Margaret Hessler, who has been spending her vacation in Ephriam, Wis., is in Decatur at present, but she expects to leave Monday for Seattle, where she will take her place on the faculty of the University of Washington. Last year Miss Hessler attended Columbia university.

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Mrs. Selim McArthur and baby are here from Chicago for a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Will Barnes. Dr. McArthur came down with them, but went back to Chicago.

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ROCKER FOR REV. J. C. BROWN

Surprised by Members of St. Paul's Congregation.

Rev. J. C. Brown and wife of St. Paul's Methodist church were pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by members of St. Paul's congregation. Mr. Brown was busy packing up his household goods preparatory to moving to his new charge at Pittsfield, and several of the members came in. He went on working while he talked to them, and pretty soon several others came. Then they kept on coming, until the house was filled and many were out in the yard, also.

On behalf of the friends Rev. H B. Pollock presented to Mr. Brown a handsome, large leather-bottom rocker.

Mr. Brown will attend the prayer meeting at St. Paul's church tonight and will meet with the official board after the prayer meeting.

C. F. TRISCH IS MARRIED

Miss Tempa Rigg is His Bride.

Miss Tempa Rigg and Clyde F. Trisch were married at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the First Christian church parsonage at Normal, Rev. E. A. Gilliland officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Trisch will come to Decatur to make their home, after an automobile wedding trip. They will be gone several weeks. Mr. Trisch is president of the Gushard Dry Goods company. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rigg.

MEETING FOR SUFFRAGE DRIVE

H. W. M'David to Speak at Association of Commerce Rooms.

Big rallies in Chicago and similar gatherings in principal cities throughout the state will feature the final week of preparation for the tenday drive of the Woman's Emergency league which is to begin Sept. 19.

Chicago, Danville, Quincy, Decatur, Springfield and other cities are having Emergency league gatherings before the commencement of the drive. Ex-Governor Deneen last week added his endorsement to those of Governor Lowden, Ex-Governor Dunne and other prominent men who have expressed approval of the movement.

The Decatur league has arranged for the public meeting to be held tonight in the Association of Commerce rooms, 214-216 Citizens' Title and Trust building, at which Attorney H. W. McDavid is to be the speaker.

This meeting is open to both men and women, and a large attendance is hoped for. All the brigadier generals and captains should be present.

LAKE CITY FOLK PICNIC AT FAIRVIEW

Lake City, Sept. 12.—A number of Lake City families held a picnic at Fairview park in Decatur Sunday.

Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell and daughter Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lupton and son Perley, Brutus Hamm and family, T. F. Wiemas and family, T. A. Dickson and family, J. P. Dickson and family, Mrs. Isabel Hamm of Bulkton, Ky., Mrs. Clara Lee and daughter Inez of Decatur, Dave Wilt and family, Mrs. Osa Hill, Leroy Baker, Will Vansickle, Olive and Otis Gifford, Maude and Harold Sinclair of Dalton City and P. K. Miers of Decatur.

Olive and Otis Gifford entertained a number of friends Saturday night in honor of their eighteenth birthdays.

Those present were Misses Irene and Marie Dickson, Sophia Hamm, Verle and Nellie Wilt, Callie Stackhouse, Anna Belser, Maude Sinclair, Mamie Dial, Mary Mitchell, Felda Bailey, Gertie Griswold, Mary Snyder and Olive Gifford and Messrs. Charles and Leroy Baker, Chester and Clyde Dickson, Gerald Dwyer, Virgil Dial, Elmer Hamm, Arlie Wilt, Ira Dickson, Will Hopkins, Wilbur Dickey, Chester Belser and Otis Gifford.

The evening was spent in music and games. Ice cream and cake were served.

LONG HOURS AT DRILLING

Some Macon County Boys' Assignments.

Macon county's boys at Camp Dodge, near Des Moines, are still too busy to write more than short notes. Right at present they are putting in so much time at drill and other work that they prefer rest to writing. Then they still use some time in getting acquainted with the camp. Some of the county boys have now been assigned to companies.

Those reported to date are as follows:

George E. Jacobsen, Niantic, Company E, Second battalion, 349th infantry.

Charles Y. Miller, Maroa, Company E, Second battalion, 349th infantry.

Robert J. Hoots, Oakley, Company G, Second battalion, 349th infantry.

Robert S. Smith, Argenta, Company H, Second battalion, 349th infantry.

SALUTE EVERYBODY.

Every one of the men is now putting in a good, long day, drilling or listening to instructors. They are instructed in everything connected with army life. For instance, one instructor is now giving talks on military courtesies. He told them the salute came from the custom of early American Indians of holding the hand to the brow as a salutation on meeting.

"Always salute the Stars and Stripes," he said, "whether in army camp or in the city. If fluttering in the breeze, it must always be saluted. A salute standing is required when the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner," is being played. Do not mistake 'America' for the national anthem."

How to properly approach an officer, how to enter an officer's office, how to salute an individual or a group, and the fact that negro officers must be saluted equally with white officers was impressed upon the minds of the new men.

DESERTION.

"A man absent without leave becomes a deserter and on conviction, a deserter may be shot in war time," was another line in the instructions given.

It is estimated that 2,500 men and 1,500 officers are now in the camp. Immediately upon arrival, the men are given a medical examination but so far only about 2 per cent of the men are being rejected, and it is probable some of these may be later approved for acceptance. It is probable that most of the men will be called upon to work for the next Sunday or two in order to hurry completion of barracks and other buildings to handle the later men to be sent.

SCHOOL TO BE STARTED.

Outside interests are planning to do much for the care and recreation of the boys at Camp Dodge. The Y. M. C. A., in addition to the many other things it is furnishing, is going to start a school, one that will allow college men to practically complete their education and that will also give an opportunity for those whose education has been entirely neglected. Reading and writing will be taught to some while others can study French, German and Spanish. The National Y. M. C. A. War Council has employed troupes of entertainers, while one night during the week a show will be given by talent that is right among the men.

$35,000 FOR RECREATION.

Des Moines business men and others have now launched a campaign to raise a $35,000 fund to be devoted entirely to recreation of the men at Camp Dodge. A tentative budget for the work has been announced as follows: Library, $5,500; home and hospitality work, $3,000; religious, $3,000; army club, $8,000, public recreations, $10,000; music, $2,500; printing, $1,000; rent and information bureau, $2,000.

AT FT. SHERIDAN.

Attorney H. W. McDavid Finds Work at The Camp Also.

Attorney H. W. McDavid visited a few hours at Fort Sheridan last Sunday. Most of the Decatur boys were away on leave but he did find Nellis Parkinson, Will Armstrong and Wallace Holcomb there. They reported that they were doing a lot of hard work but were well cared for, well fed and were enjoying it. One noticeable thing observed by Attorney McDavid was the remarkable cleanliness of the camp.

14 MEN EXEMPTED IN LOGAN COUNTY

Lincoln, Sept. 12.—The first list of exemptions granted by the district board in Springfield on appeals filed in Logan county registered men who was received yesterday. Fourteen appeals were granted and exemptions allowed. Thirteen were on the grounds of supporting dependents, and one, the case of Lewis M. Briggs was granted upon occupational grounds.

The list of those granted exemptions and certified back from the district board to the local board, follows:

Everett McVay, Mt. Pulaski; Wm. Harris Bryson, Lake Fork; Joseph Sassenberger, Lincoln; George Phillips, Atlanta; Edwin G. Smalley, Hartsburg; Ignatz Soljar, Lincoln; Grover C. Wright, Lincoln; Matthew C. Graingry, Mt. Pulaski; Ivory Wesley, Lincoln; Lincoln Cass, Mt. Pulaski; Jasper M. Brock, Atlanta; Hud Smith, Lincoln; William Struebing, Emden; Lewis M. Briggs, Lincoln.

There are still a large number of appeals to be heard from, and until the status of all those out of the first quota who have asked exemption has been fully determined, the Logan county board will be unable to announce the list of 76 men who will go to Camp Dodge on September 21.

RELIGIOUS CENSUS MAKING

Rev. R. R. Ray and Verne Oglesby at Work on It.

A religious census of the east section of the city is being taken by Rev. R. R. Ray, pastor of the East Park Baptist church, and Verne Oglesby. The two men work on the census for several hours every afternoon.

The special meetings which are being held at the church this week are proving interesting and are being well attended. Tuesday night the church was almost filled. Mr. Oglesby delivered a splendid sermon. Each evening for about twenty minutes at the opening of the service a series of stereopticon slides and illustrated songs is given.

Thursday evening young people from the Moweaqua church, where Rev. J. H. Cozad is pastor, will come up in a body to attend the meeting.

RED CROSS SHOP NOTES

The crisp mornings have emphasized to the women who know how to knit the need of getting at the work of the Red Cross here in that line if the garments are to be finished and sent across the seas in time to do the soldiers good in the early winter, and many women are coming in to headquarters to learn to knit.

Mrs. Mary DeForrest has been acting as instructor in knitting and she has been kept busy with the work. Mrs. Robert Mueller has general charge and supervision of the knitting organization.

A number of women, in fact, a considerable number, have indicated their desire to get at the work of making and overhauling clothing for the refugees children and women of France and Belgium and this work will be started and organized soon.

The West William street women, who meet with Mrs. F. L. Evans, were supplied with additional materials Tuesday.

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Try it, girls! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy or toilet counter and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms, and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the roses and beauty of any skin. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

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Lost Automobile Robe—Sunday p.m. between Illiopolis and Decatur on north road. Return American Hominy, 600 N. Water. Phone 2933.

Found—Pair of man's shoes. Call phone 3675.

Lost—Watch chain and Elk's charm. Return to Chas. Hecker, City Council rooms.

Lost—Between Lovington and Arthur, Sunday, a large black leather case containing order book, personal mail and other valuable articles. Notify W. R. Allan, 1320 Garland Bldg., Chicago, Ill., and receive reward.

Lost—Brown traveling bag, between Decatur and Elwin. Call Bell 6332. Reward.

Lost—Cameo brooch, Sunday, in Old Riverside park, between Country club and Moffit bridge or on road beyond bridge. Reward. McGavic Lumber Co.

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Wanted—Dish washer and dining room girl at the Day House. Phone 1858.

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Wanted—Experienced auto truck driver or Overland. Phone 2480.

Wanted—At once porter. Apply Bright Bro., 152 E. Main.

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Wanted—Woman to help with work at Banner Dairy Lunch Room; 223 E. Wm.

Wanted—Girl for house work; no washing, family of 3. Phone 4572, 528 N. College, Mrs. Freeman.

Wanted—3 lady solicitors; good proposition offered; 120 E. Main St.

Wanted—A housekeeper. Call Main 4622.

Girls Wanted—Apply Decatur Garment Co.

WANTED—TO BUY.

Wanted to Buy—Show case. Address I-362, care Review.

Wanted to Buy—Good team of work mares, medium price, for the farm. Write S. E. Minick, Oreana, Ill.

Wanted to Buy—Second hand watches. Also second hand clocks for sale. H. L. Shields, 817 N. Water.

Wanted to Buy—Good second hand gas stove. Phone 1944.

We pay best prices for second hand shoes and clothing. J. Miller, 600 E. Eldorado, Bell 8073.

Wanted to Buy—Barn. Address I-175, Review.

Wanted to Buy—Carload shipments of cordwood, stovewood and walnut logs. Write to Covey Durham Coal Co., 431 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

Wanted—We pay cash for automobiles in any condition. Any make. Over 15 Ford and other cars for sale; easy payments. Bargain prices on tires. Masterbilt Co., 437 N. Water.

Wanted—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $2 to $15 per sent. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED — Men's clothing and shoes, furniture of all kinds; bicycles; in fact anything. Bell 6028; 601 N. Water. 9209

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Young Lady Student of Millikin conservatory would exchange piano and voice lessons for room. References exchanged. I-520 Review.

If you want a good well, call F. H. Washburn, 1007 W. Green. Main 4344.

Wanted—Partner in first class rooming house or restaurant in Decatur, no fakers need answer. Box 237, Cerro Gordo, Ill.

Wanted—Carpenter and repair work to do. Hare 240 W. Main. Bell 2621.

Wanted—Dressmaking. Special prices to working girls. Phone 2168.

Wanted—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Bell 4327.

Wanted—If you want your walls newly papered, floors waxed and polished or varnished, call Adam Page, plaster patching and repairing rental property, wall paper cleaning. 240 W. Main. Bell 511.

Wanted—Paper hanging, rooms papered for $3 and paper furnished. A. D. Lyan, 400 E. Orchard. Bell 2430.

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm. Price, 944 North Monroe. Bell phone 4131; Auto 8023. 9679

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. SHAW the Watch Man, 147 Merchant St. 6818

WANTED—TO RENT.

Wanted to Rent—3 to 5 acres near car line, improved. Phone [illegible].

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Room in private home; modern, 963 W. Packard. Main 3073.

For Rent—Modern furnished rooms, 141 W. Eldorado.

Large nicely furnished downstairs room; also two upstairs rooms, modern. Phone 4044; 216 W. William.

For Rent—Modern furn. room; close in; young lady; 448 N. Monroe.

For Rent—To ladies employed, nicely furnished sleeping room in modern, private home; 603 W. William.

For Rent—Two large newly decorated furnished or unfurnished rooms, bed rooms or ensuite; strictly modern. Bell 2772.

For Rent—Nicely furnished modern room, 120 Merchant. Phone 6815.

For Rent—In new Suffern building, corner N. Main and Prairie, 4 medium size rooms, 1 at head of stairs; good for single office rooms, or can be used as suite. Telephone 1400.

For Rent—Furnished modern room, private family. 648 W. Wood. Main 152.

For Rent—Furnished rooms, suitable for either one or two; modern, board if desired. 232 W. William.

For Rent—Rooms, thoroughly modern, 107 No. Fairview.

For Rent—Desirable front room, well furn. city heat, modern. 311 N. Edward.

For Rent—Neatly furnished front room, all modern conveniences. 651 W. Eldorado.

For Rent—2 rooms with modern conveniences, gentlemen preferred. 262 W. Eldorado St. Phone 269.

For Rent—Elegantly furnished room, private residence, close in, city heat, references. Main 4192.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent—2 modern furnished housekeeping rooms, 1030 E. Prairie.

For Rent—2 fine rooms, modern home, furnished for housekeeping; west end; adults only. Phone 5449 or 1839.

For Rent—2 modern house keeping rooms, 841 E. North.

For Rent—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 227½ N. Main.

For Rent—3 unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, modern, 7 blocks west. Bell 5727.

For Rent—2 rooms fully furnished for light housekeeping; modern, reasonable. 1120 W. Wood. Phone 6330.

For Rent—Furnished modern light housekeeping rooms, no children; 1209 W. Macon. Phone 4269.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

For Rent—6 room house, 668 W. Macon, $12. Apply 318 N. Church.

For Rent—5 room house, 1566 N. Clinton, no children, $6.75. Apply 318 N. Church.

For Rent—8 room modern house, barn, 316 W. Eldorado. Main 6516.

For Rent—5 room brick, $9, at 1220 Willard Ave. Phone 4225 at noon or 2301 after 6 p.m.

For Rent—To reliable colored people, 5 room bungalow; newly papered; wired for lights. 2208 E. Sangamon.

For Rent—6 room modern house, nearly new; northwest part. Phone 4167.

For Rent—6 room mod. cottage, 758 E. Center St., $20. Ed F. Drobisch & Son, 157 E. Main.

For Rent—6 room modern house. Inquire Mrs. Homstead, 264 W. Eldorado.

For Rent—6 room house, 1102 North Clinton street; 6 room house, 240 West Prairie Avenue. J. C. Hostetler, 145 North Water street.

For Rent—8 room modern, 900 block E. North. T. A. Cassell, 1001 W. Main.

For Rent—6 room modern house. 330 E. Marietta. Bell 2362.

FOR RENT—FLATS.

For Rent—An all modern 5 room flat with gas range; 957 N. Water St.

FOR RENT.

To Lease—New garage, modern fire-proof, small town, wealthy community; only two garages in town. Address I-367, Review.

For Rent—Barn space for garage and two stalls for horses, 852 N. Union.

For Rent—Large room suitable for Mfg. purposes at 250 E. Wood. Inquire at Garage below. W. H. Grindol & Sons.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

For Sale—Four small ball bowling alleys, complete. 275 E. Leafland Ave.

For Sale or Trade—Case 10-20 tractor, A-1 condition; price reasonable. R. W. Steinbaugh, Macon, Ill. R. F. D. No. 1.

For Sale—Patch of fine corn, $75, fodder and all. Call 2224 Graceland Ave.

For Sale—One International Mogul Tractor, 25 h. p. Burns kerosene or gasoline. In good condition. Will sell cheap. Address Will L. Smith, Tower Hill, Ill.

For Sale—Machinery, drills, lathes, emery stands, vises, etc; wood working machines. Apply Chambers, Bering, Quinlan Co.

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

For Sale—One gray horse in good condition, used to work on ice wagon; 252 E. Prairie.

For Sale—Family cow, Jersey, will sell on payments. D. L. Price, 2300 E. Cantrell.

For Sale—At my farm, six miles southwest of Sullivan, 3 bull calves, 4 heifers and a few head of cattle; all registered Hereford stock. W. H. McCune, R. F. D. No. 5, Sullivan, Ill.

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

For Sale—New Colonial residence, beautifully finished; bargain and terms, if sold soon; 1117 W. Main. Phone 1705.

For Sale Cheap—5 room partly modern house, fine lot and location, 153 E. Condit. Inquire 870 E. North.

For Sale—In Oakdale addition, 5 room modern bungalow at right price, 265 N. Dennis avenue.

For Sale—Fine home, modern, corner property, 80x150 ft. Will sell cheap, leaving city; 1800 E. William.

For Sale—8 room modern house in north part city, hard wood floors; will take in exchange Ford auto, some cash, balance terms. Geo. Darling, Millikin Bldg.

For Sale—5 room house, 2 blocks of court court. Bargain. Main 4961.

For Sale—6 room modern house, full city lot, fruit and cistern, concrete walks. Phone 2276.

For Sale or Exchange—Equity in new 8 room modern residence on W. Main, will consider cottage or lots. Phone 1705 or 1117 W. Main.

For Sale—5 partly modern bungalow at 2275 E. Eldorado. Call after 4 p. m.

For Sale—Best house in town for the price. 1475 North Main.

For Sale—Nice cottage near northwest industrial section, will sell on small cash payment, and monthly payments on balance, or will rent to good party. J. L. Drake, 322 N. Main.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

For Sale—A lot in northwest end cheap if taken at once. Phone 4185.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

For Sale—Rug, dishes, range, stove, 2 beds, mattress, sanitary couch, chairs, Hoosier Cabinet, school books; 817 N. Water.

For Sale—$25, 6 burner gas range; $10 6-burner coal cook stove; bargains for cash. 560 N. Church.

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For Sale—Good enclosed Waverly electric, good tires and batteries; good running order. You will be surprised how cheap you can buy this car. Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church.

For Sale—1916 Ford touring car; also 1917 Buick light "Six" roadster, Rogers Garage, 244 E. Wood.

For Sale—Overland roadster, bought new in April, 1917, 5 good tires, 30x3½ in front, 31x4 in rear. Driven about 5,000 miles, runs like new. Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church.

For Sale—Ford 5 pass. touring car, good as new; sell cheap. Leaving city; 1809 E. William.

For Sale—Good five passenger touring car; good condition. Call after 5 p.m. 445 E. Center St.

For Sale—1916 Studebaker, 6 cyl. touring car, 5 good tires, A-1 condition. If you are looking for a real bargain in a light 6 cyl., see this one. Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church.

For Sale—Saxon roadster, 4 good tires, white wire wheels, dandy running order. Price $125. Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church.

For Sale — Overland 5 pass. car, cheap; good condition; 1304 E. Condit.

For Sale—1916 Ford roadster, fully electrically equipped; shock absorbers, foot feed; tires good as new. First class condition; $250. Call at 879 N. Pine.

For Sale—Grant roadster, electric lights and starter, speedometer. Mfg. 905 N. College.

Wanted—Old autos. We pay cash. Parts for all cars at very low prices. Schulder; 601 N. Water.

For Sale—3 bicycles in good condition; reasonable; 1108 W. Forrest.

For Sale—One 1910 Cadillac truck in good mechanical condition; dandy body, good tires and extra tire, 1 Cadillac touring car, A-1 mechanical condition; electric lights and starter; demountable rims; good tires; extra tire and rim. R. A. Benton, 704 N. Monroe. Bell 610.

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Auto tires and tube repairing. Retreading a specialty. Expert Bicycle repairing; new and used bicycles. Fisk Bike Tires.

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4 Rooms, not mod. N. E. side..	$ 9.00
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For Sale—Two chair barber shop in country town. I-335, care Review.

For Sale—Grocery stock and fixtures; bargain; leaving city. Phone 4715.

For Sale—Smith and repair shop at a bargain; no other horse-shoer close; a good opening for garage. Other business cause of sale. O. R. Moore, Vera, Ill.

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FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

For Rent—Farm of 80 acres. Apply to Frank Harpstrite, E. William, 2 miles.

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My 160 acre improved farm in Kossuth Co., Ia., located 5 and 6 miles from 3 good market towns, $100 per acre. Very easy terms. 215 acres west Central Minnesota, prairie soil, black loam, same as Iowa. Improvements good, artesian well. Nearly all under cultivation. Close to two good market towns, $50 per acre, easy terms. 800 acres in one body. Specially selected under the Volstad homestead act. Good soil. $5 per acre, small payment down. Address E. F. WIGGINS, Iowa Falls, Iowa.

For Sale or Exchange—For Decatur property, the best little farm in Defiance County, Ohio. Phone 651.

290 Acres Jasper Co. farm; most of it second bottom with running water in pasture; good house; other buildings fair, a good stock and grain farm; 4 miles to market. This is an extra good buy; $175 per acre; $3,000 down, balance on good terms. S. H. Newell, Kellogg, Ia.

For Sale—Two fine farms near Springfield. Well improved. Prices right. Brinkerhoff & Co., 313 South 5th St., Springfield, Ill.

265 Acre stock farm Carroll county, Illinois; well improved; exchange for Clay Co., Minnesota, land. Full details upon application. Kerper Land & Investment Company, 426 Security Bldg., Dubuque, Ia.

For Sale—In order to close an estate on short notice I am offering for sale a 200 acre farm. 115 acres under cultivation, 70 fruit trees, five horses, seven cows, two heifers, all farm machinery, good house, large barns, good well, located just outside of the city limits on a crushed stone and oil road. This farm is well worth $18,000, but must be sold to satisfy the heirs. Address all communications to John J. Caldwell, Oconto, Wis.

For Sale—160 acres, lays perfect, no waste, all black soil tiled, well improved, good fences, can rent at $8.00 cash. Price $165.00, easy terms. Charles Pierson, Nora Springs, Iowa.

Farms For Sale by Owner—We have several farms, both large and small for sale; improved Little Wabash river bottom lands. Address Geo. I. Danks, Edgewood, Ill.

1-2-A & Small House

near Nelson Park, on payments. Call County 981, ring 5, after 6 p.m.

Farm Bargain—124 acre farm level to gently rolling good limestone land, two miles from town churches and school; nine-room dwelling fine condition, barn 46x62; toolhouse, 24x30; two-story, granary, large woodshed and other outbuildings, all in good condition, this farm is all under good woven wire fence, the growing crops are fine, for quick sale, $5,600.00. Butlerville Realty Co., Butlerville, Ind.

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Are You looking for a farm? Come to Raymore, Cass Co., Mo., 25 mil. south of K. C., Mo. Good soil, good water, high school, mild winters. Land priced from $75 to $135 per acre. Good terms. Write me your wants. C. R. Champion, Raymore, Cass Co., Mo.

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One acre on West Main street, ¼ mile of city lots; good 6 room new house; good barn, chicken house, garden goes with the place. Price $2500; $800 down, balance on time. Don't delay seeing this place.

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Farms—A few choice farms for sale in northwest Mo. Worth seeing. Bouher & Williams, Savannah, Mo.

For Sale—156-acre farm for sale to settle estate; located two miles south of Sullivan; close to school and well improved; quick sale if price is right. H. H. Chaney, R. F. D. No. 1, Findlay. Telephone No. 9, Kirksville.

FARMS—Wayne county, choice, rich improved and unimproved; $50 to $100 per acre. Unequalled land investment. Come and see. G. A. Spriggs, Real Estate, Fairfield, Ill. 2171

Improved Farm Homes and investments in finest stock and grain country in northeast Mo., $75 to $125 per acre. Chas C. Benner, Clarence, Mo.

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160 acres close to Springfield, Ill., all black corn land; well tiled; no better land; ½ cash, balance long time. Low rate of interest. This is a bargain for a short time at $160 per acre.

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For Sale—A good 210 acre farm in Marion county, Illinois, close to Salem, well improved, a bargain, $80 an acre. A. W. Wallace, Tuscola, Illinois.

For Sale—Well improved good black soil farms in Christian and Shelby counties, at $150 to $175 per acre. H. B. Miner, Lana, Ill.

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FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. Ellen C. Moore, et. al. vs. Mary M. Shaffer, et. al. Partition.

Notice is hereby given to Mary M. Shaffer, a non-resident of the State of Illinois, and made a party defendant to the above entitled suit, that Ellen C. Moore and Andrew E.C. Moore, as complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court to the October Term A. D. 1917 against you, making you a party defendant to said suit that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that you, Mary M. Shaffer, are a non-resident from the state of Illinois so that summons can not be served upon you.

Therefore notice is hereby given that unless you, the said Mary M. Shaffer, shall be and appear in said court the first Monday in October 1917, to plead, answer or demur to said bill the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainants.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. C. Fred Sterr, vs. Jan De Graff, et. al Foreclosure.

Notice is hereby given to Jan De Graff, a non-resident of the State of Illinois, and made a party defendant to the above entitled suit, that C. Fred Sterr, as complainant, has filed his bill of complaint in said court to the October Term A. D. 1917 against you, making you with Eva B. De Graff and Edward F. Telling, parties defendant, and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that you, Jan De Graff, are a non-resident from the State of Illinois so that summons can not be served upon you.

Therefore notice is hereby given that unless you, the said Jan De Graff, shall be and appear in said court the first Monday in October 1917, to plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainant.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. Philip Mueller, et. al. vs. John H. Harpstrite, et. al. Partition.

Notice is hereby given to the Unknown heirs at law or devisees of Jacob Minch, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of William L. Powers, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Benjamin Wilson, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Robert Smith, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of David Schmick, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of William Pratt, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Asa Eastman, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of John R. Miller, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Elizabeth A. Davis, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Laura S. Allen, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Lydia Packard, deceased, the unknown heirs at law or devisees of Henry McKenna, deceased, Bertha H. Garwood and John H. Harpstrite, each a non-resident of the State of Illinois and made parties defendant to the above entitled suit, that Philip Mueller, Robert Mueller, Fred B. Mueller, Adolph Mueller and Adolph Mueller, Trustee, as complainants, have filed their bill of complaint in said court to the October Term A. D. 1917, against each of you, making each of you with Mary A. Harpstrite, Emma F. Harpstrite, Fred Wilson and Clara Jimison, parties defendant, and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that each of you the above named heirs at law or devisees of each of the above named deceased persons and John H. Harpstrite and Bertha H. Garwood are non-residents from the state of Illinois, so that summons cannot be served upon you.

Therefore Notice is hereby given that unless you the said non-resident defendants shall be and appear in said court on the first Monday in October 1917 and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged, will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainants.

FIVE GRANDSONS OF VETERAN IN WAR

Shelbyville, Sept. 12.—George Wade, a civil war veteran of this city, apparently has instilled his patriotism into his posterity, for at this time he has five grandsons in Uncle Sam's military service. Two of the boys already are in France, members of America's first expeditionary force under General John J. Pershing. These are Frank Wade and Elmer Flowers.

Delbert Flowers, another grandson, is a member of Company H. Fourth Illinois infantry of this city, and Walter Smith and Oscar Smith, brothers, of Burbank, S. D., are members of a company of engineers of the Seventh regiment.

The grandfather, who lives on Broadway, this city, served four years and six months as a member of Company A. Fifty-fourth Illinois volunteers, in the civil war.

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHANCERY NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, October Term, A. D. 1917, Case No. 24517, M. E. Smith vs. Frederick M. Burback, Admr. et. al. In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that The place of residence of the defendant, Ruth White cannot be ascertained; and that Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love two of the defendants in the above entitled cause are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the First Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Ruth White, Harry A. Love and Florence Nellie Love, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 28th day of August, A. D. 1917.

JOHN ALLEN.
(Seal.) Clerk Circuit Court.
T. F. Drew, Solicitor for Complainant.

CHANCERY NOTICE—State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, October Term, A. D. 1917. Case No. 24520, F. K. Allen vs. Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor, Emma A. Giblin, Joseph Patrick Giblin Jr., Emmet Michael Giblin, Helen M. Summers, Helen L. Lyon, Ruth B. Weaver, Charles P. Summers and Charles P. Summers, Administrator of estate of Albert T. Summers, deceased. In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are non-residents of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver, returnable on the first day of the next October term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the First Monday of October A. D. 1917. Now unless you, the said Michael Giblin, Nellie Giblin Taylor, John Taylor, Robert Taylor, Mary Helen Taylor and Ruth B. Weaver, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 29th day of August, A. D. 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
(Seal) Clerk Circuit Court.
Vail, Miller & Pogue, Edgar H. Allen, Solicitors for Complainant.

CHANCERY PUBLICATION NOTICE — State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court of Said Macon County. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. The Millikin Trust Company, Etc., vs. Maude Brinton, et. al. Construe Will and other Equitable Relief.

Notice is hereby given to Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton, each a non-resident of the State of Illinois, and each made a party defendant to the above entitled suit, that The Millikin Trust Company, a Corporation, and Charles M. Hurst, as the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Martha Morehouse, deceased, and Charles M. Hurst, as the Testamentary Trustee of the Estate of George E. Morehouse, deceased, have filed their bill of complaint in said court to the October Term, A. D. 1917 against each of you, making each of you parties defendant, and that summons has been issued to said term of court returnable on the 1st day of October 1917, which suit is now pending.

Affidavit having also been filed herein that each of you the said Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton, are non-residents from the State of Illinois, so that summons can not be served upon you.

Therefore notice is hereby given that unless each of you, the said Minnie Maude Morehouse and Maude Brinton, shall be and appear in said court the first Monday in October 1917, to plead, answer or demur to said bill, the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered accordingly.

August 28th, 1917.

JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Albert G. Webber,
Solicitor for Complainants.

REV. MR. DUNCAN MOVES.

Rev. Charles Morris Duncan, who came to the local Methodist church from Arcola in 1915, has been transferred to Rantoul to fill a place that is replete with possibilities for a great work. The pastorate here is taken by Rev. M. G. Coleman, now of Taylorville, who also is one of the strong men of the Illinois conference.

Through the location of the government's aviation corps, with a thousand aviators, 95 per cent. of whom are college men and among whom five Y. M. C. A. secretaries are working, the Rantoul church has sprung into instant prominence. The pastor's salary there is $2,000 a year. The official church board there sought Rev. Mr. Duncan.

Rev. Mr. Duncan will preach here next Sunday morning, and will leave about the middle of next week for Rantoul.

SCOVIL FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine Scovil, whose body, accompanied by her sister, Miss Gertrude Guilford, and L. S. Webster, arrived in the city from New York Sunday evening, was held from the Scovil residence at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. J. A. Tracy of the Presbyterian church delivered the sermon. The singers were Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Elizabeth Zimmer, E. M. Hopkins and [illegible] Douthit. The pall bearers were F. [illegible] Dove, J. L. Hoover, Ed R. Alley, George B. Rhoads, W. S. Middlesworth and C. T. Coplin. Burial was in Glenwood cemetery.

63 YEARS IN SHELBY

Alderman W. H. Lumpp was sixty-three years old Tuesday. He was born in this township, grew up here, has performed his life's work here and is good for many more years of activity.

FARM HOME BURNS

A two-story house belonging to John Birch of Rose township was burned Monday. The loss was about $2,000, with insurance of $1,000.

The J. H. Yencer family held a reunion at Forest park Sunday, with four generations represented and about thirty-five persons present. The four generations were represented by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Yencer, Mrs. William Rowlings, Mrs. George Lyon of Decatur, and William, Margaret, Catherine and baby Lyon.

600 AT TAYLORVILLE IN MISSIONARY MEET

Taylorville, Sept. 12 — More than 600 delegates from all parts of Illinois, and missionary workers of the Disciples of Christ from all over the country, are here attending the annual convention of the missionary societies of the Christian church.

From the expressions of the delegates, Taylorville may become the permanent meeting place, on account of its central location.

The Christian Women's Foreign Missionary societies held their election Tuesday, the following officers being named:

President, Mrs. Lura Thompson Porter, Carthage; vice president, Mrs. Anna Colegrove, Taylorville; recording secretary, Miss Bertha Pease, Latham; general secretary, Miss Jennie Call, Springfield; superintendent of Young People's Work, Miss [illegible] Garis, El Paso; state superintendent of literature, Mrs. Pope, DuQuoin.

WILSON SCHRANTZ DEAD

The funeral of Wilson Schrantz of Stonington, who died Tuesday night, was conducted at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Stonington by Rev. Mr. Wilson. Burial was at the Stonington cemetery. Mr. Schrantz was [illegible] years old and lived in the vicinity of Stonington fifty years. Mrs. [illegible] Adams of Decatur is his daughter. Another daughter, Mrs. Dora Story of Blue Mound, also survives.

BESSIE MATTHEWS WEDS

Word of the marriage in St. Louis on Saturday of Mrs. Bessie Matthews of Taylorville and Edward Ceas of St. Louis, formerly of this city, was received yesterday by Mrs. Joseph Hall, sister of the bride.

At a meeting of the city council Monday night, Former Alderman [illegible] F. Bailey was made an engineer at the city pumping station, succeeding William Farrow, who resigned recently.

NEWMAN.

Clel Estes, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Centralia Friday.

William Phipps left for Indiana Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews and two daughters, of London, O., are here visiting James Norris and family.

Emmerson Tonner of Pierson, attended the funeral of his grandmother Cameron held here Thursday.

Jack Martin of Marshall, Ind., was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deatly and small daughter, of De Kalb, and Oney Deatly and mother and Miss Lena Dickerson left for a visit with relatives in Kentucky Friday morning, going in the Deatley auto.

Mrs. R. C. Gillogly went to Indianapolis Friday to join her husband, who is training in the medical corps at Fort Benjamin Harrison. Dr. Gillogly will return Saturday evening with her to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hartley and daughter Mary, returned from a trip through Wisconsin and Kansas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roller and son removed to Greencastle, Ind., Thursday to spend the winter. Mr. Roller is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Reed, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bridge, returned to their home at Deputy, Monday morning.

State fair visitors at Springfield Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Redman and son, Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Weathers and son and Mrs. James Todd.

Mrs. Fred England and Miss Lena Stuebich motored to Russelville, Ind., Tuesday. Mrs. England will visit her husband, who is farming there. Miss Stuebich will visit relatives at Indianapolis before returning home.

Mrs. J. M. Kyde returned from Decatur Monday.

Mrs. Mary Routledge and daughter, Aileen, were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chasteen of Deputy, who have been visiting their son G. E. Chasteen and family, returned home Monday.

Rev. J. F. Hollingsworth is attending the state convention of Christian Missionary society, being held at Taylorville.

MOWEAQUA.

C. M. Snyder and family have a cottage at Big Bay, Mich., where they will remain for several weeks.

The Queen Esther circle met with Misses Lois and Elizabeth Riley, east of town. Features of the evening's entertainment were a solo by Miss Sallie Collier, teacher of music in the schools, and a reading by Miss Alice Gasoway, principal of the high school.

Miss Marjorie Dobson, Harold Rice and Paul Rollins went to Normal Sunday, where they will attend school this winter.

Melvin Gallow of Normal, was the guest of James Dobson Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. James Sparling spent Tuesday in Springfield at the state fair.

Glen Blanchard of Decatur, was the guest of Ralph Jarvis Sunday.

Owen Moll of Decatur, spent the latter part of the week with Silas Weakley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. McKay spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. I. R. McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Snyder of Decatur spent Sunday with K. R. Snyder and family.

Oscar Frazee left Sunday for St. Ann.

Miss Irene Brookshire left Tuesday to attend school at Millikin university in Decatur.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS —By W. R. ALLMAN.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

INTERSTING NEWS FROM MONTICELLO

Monticello, Sept. 12.—The first meeting of the joint Parent-Teachers association will be held Monday night at the south school building in the high school assembly room. A good program has been arranged and it is hoped that all parents and those interested in the schools will be present. The program follows:

Welcome to the Teachers—Mrs. William Dighton.

Response—Miss Ruth Alice Moss.

Music—Pupils of third and fourth grades.

Junior Red Cross—Mrs. Florence J. Miller.

Topics for discussion for the parent-teachers' meetings.

Music—Quartet

Refreshments.

Lieutenant J. M. Donahue of Company C, I. N. G., returned Monday to Springfield after spending a few days at home.

Edwin Norris, who left last Wednesday for Ohio, will return home this week and will be accompanied by his brother, Fred, and wife. They will make the trip here by automobile.

Donald Bradley of Company C, I. N. G., came home Tuesday to spend a few days with his mother.

Miss Blanche Fitzwater spent the week-end in Decatur.

Mrs. George Marquiss and Miss Susie Marquiss spent Saturday and Sunday with Walter Olentine's near Lodge.

FINISH THRESHING OATS AT OREANA

Oreana, Sept. 12.—Threshing will be completed in this vicinity this week. Several good yields are reported. Among them are: J. P. Idling, thirty acres, averaging eighty-eight bushels; Frank Clinton, seventeen and a half acres, averaging eighty-six bushels; C. McKinley, fifty acres, averaging seventy-six bushels; Kirby Bros., sixty-two acres, averaging about eighty bushels.

Harry King and family spent Saturday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Noble and son Herman, of Decatur, were guests of M. C. Cooper and wife Sunday.

Lloyd Bennett and family of Blue Mound spent Sunday afternoon here with the former's sister, Mrs. Sarah Strope.

Dr. T. C. Buxton and family of Decatur, were Oreana visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Waller of Maroa, spent Sunday evening with their son, Philip Waller and family.

Miss Fay McKirahan, who has been on the chautauqua platform in the east during the summer, has been the guest of her parents near here.

Miss Ida Spaeth, tuberculosis nurse, will speak at the Baptist church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Red Cross society meets Wednesday afternoon of each week to sew in the K. of P. hall at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Isabella Harris left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Decatur, after which she will go to Chicago, where she will re-enter the Baptist Missionary Training school.

Mrs. Harry Cooper and children, Harold and Thelma, are visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. M. F. Boyer and family.

Class Election.

At the meeting of the Men's Bible class of the East Park Baptist church Monday night at the home of Mr. McCurt, Rev. R. R. Ray, the new pastor, was elected as the class teacher, and Charles Warner was made associate teacher. W. E. Walsh was named press reporter. About forty people attended the meeting. Following the business session refreshments were served.

The class will meet Sept. 21 at the home of Mr. Ray, 126 North East avenue.

Local Notices.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS.

Yantis Grocery and Market, West Main and Monroe. Where you get the Best, Quality and Service. Call Main 101.

—Come and see the New Woolens, just arrived. Herman Roucher 209-10 Bachrach Bldg.

—Croucher's Union Barber Shop, under Cheap Charley's. Barbers, Richards, Kearns, Trabue.

Dr. Elmer Martin, osteopath, sixth floor, Powers Bldg. Both phones.

—CLIMAX and IDEAL furnaces. Easy terms. Barringer Hardware Co.

HAIR CUTS, 25c; SHAVE, 15c. Shellenberger's Union Barber Shop. Under Millikin Bank.

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CASSELL SCHOOL OF DANCING

330 N. Main St. Bell 6651.

Beginners' class Monday night at 8 o'clock. Advanced classes Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 7:30 to 9 p. m. Assembly 9 to 11. Union music. Two latest New York dances, Military One Step, Jazz Fox Trot, Tuesday and Friday nights. Juvenile class Saturday afternoon, 2:30.

NOTICE.

The party who damaged auto standing at 1762 N. Church will save themselves prosecution by reporting at once to J. C. Walker, chief engineer at waterworks. The auto number is known.

WILL BREAK UP 2,400 ACRES

A. O. Bolen Tells of Wheat Harvest and Work in Manitoba.

A. O. Bolen has returned from a trip to the farms in Manitoba in which he is interested. The wheat threshing is on there in full blast and two big machines are at work hulling out the grain on the 1,400 acres which he and his associates have in wheat and oats.

Plowing will start immediately for the seeding for next year. The oats harvest is still going on and they had seven binders at work when he was there.

Plowing is being done by tractors and Mr. Bolen states that they expect to break up 2,400 acres this fall.

The yield of wheat is from 18 to 25 bushels to the acre and the price there has been set by the government at the same price as it has been fixed in this county, $2.20 a bushel.

SUES SULLIVAN POLICEMAN FOR $5,000

Sullivan, Sept. 12.—Thomas M. Best, manager for the Central Illinois Public Service company, has filed a suit for $5,000 damages against Tobe Webb, city marshal of Sullivan. The damages are claimed on false imprisonment and arises over the arrest of Best several days ago by Officer Webb on a charge of violating one of the city ordinances, it being alleged that Best was crossing a street in the city with electric light wires of the Central Illinois Public Service company in an effort to connect them with a residence property.

Best and his two helpers, Frank Drew and Fred Boyce, were all arrested in the evening and taken to the city jail and locked up for a short time.

The suit is a surprise, but all have decided that most any kind of a case can be started with the fight between the city and the public service company.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Hugh Roney this afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce Garvin returned to her home in Windsor Monday evening, after a visit here with relatives.

George Dunscomb of Windsor was here Monday.

Mrs. A. N. Woodruff was in Decatur Tuesday.

Mrs. Fannie Munsie returned to her home in Decatur Tuesday, after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. S. T. Butler.

Miss Lou Phelps was in Decatur Tuesday.

How are the Roads?

...—Roads are being dragged and scraped and put into first class order. There are some rough places yet from recent rains, where no work has been done.

Bement—Roads are good.

Shelbyville—Roads in fine condition.

Sullivan—The main traveled roads are getting in good condition.

ADDED REDUCTION IN CORN PRICES

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Buying on the part of strong speculative interests rallied the corn market today from an early decline. The initial weakness was due to weather conditions favorable for maturing the crop. On the other hand, buyers appeared to be acting on a theory that frost damage had perhaps been more extensive than the trade in general had assumed. Opening prices, which ranged from ⅛ cent to ⅝ cent lower, with December at $1.17⅛ to $1.17¾, and May at $1.15 to $1.15⅛ were followed by an upturn to well above yesterday's finish.

The government weekly weather report was construed as upholding the position of the bulls. In the late dealings, however, the weakness of the New York stock market counted as a depressing influence here. The close was heavy, ¼ to ⅝ cent net lower, at $1.15⅝ December, and $1.14¾ to $1.15 May.

Oats developed independent strength, owing to the fact that receipts continued small. The December option was in especial demand.

WHEAT.

Arrivals of wheat showed no material increase. Word was received from the Kansas state board of agriculture that the next winter wheat crop of Kansas would exceed the 12 per cent enlargement requested by the federal government.

Satisfactory progress has been made in winter wheat plowing in the country as a whole. The only exception is in the extreme northwest, where the weather during the last week has been too dry.

Higher prices on corn and hogs gave firmness to provisions. Most of the dealings were in lard.

NEW PASTOR AT FIRST CHURCH

Rev. C. R. Booth Plans to Move Friday to Decatur.

Rev. C. R. Booth, the new pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, was in Decatur for a brief visit Wednesday morning, making the trip over in his car. Mr. Booth is planning to move to Decatur Friday. He will occupy the church parsonage.

Mr. Booth will preach at both services at the church Sunday. His morning subject will be "The Church That Wins Today," and at night he will speak on "Salvation of an Army Captain."

CHURCH NOTES.

The women of the northwest division of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church are to meet at the Red Cross headquarters Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock to sew.

W. N. Roeder will lead the prayer meeting tonight at 7:45 at the Sargent Methodist church.

Rev. A. J. Jokisch, who has been transferred to the Hammond charge, will preach his last sermon at Sargent Sunday night.

The Missionary society of the German Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Niedermeyer, 646 West North street.

MARKETS.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

[Furnished by Ware & Leland]

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open.		High.	Low.	Close	Yes.
CORN—						
Dec	117⅝@	117¼	119½	117¼	117⅝	118
May	115⅝@	115	116⅝	114⅝	115	115½
OATS—						
Sep.	59¼@	....	59¾	58¾	58⅝	58½
Dec	57⅝@	57½	58⅜	57⅜	58	57½
May	60½@	60⅝	61⅛	60⅝	60⅞	60⅝
PORK—						
Oct.	4300@	....	4300	4230	4230	4200
LARD—						
Sep.	2370@	....	....	....	2365@2365	
Oct.	2360@	....	2370	2330	2360	2357
RIBS—						
Sep.	2372@	....	....	....	2367	2370
Oct.	2370@	....	2307	2300	2300	2305

Market Gossip.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts—	Today.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	701,000	*....
Corn	259,000	*....
Oats	1,270,000	*....
Shipments—		
Wheat	461,000	*....
Corn	156,000	*....
Oats	1,304,000	*....

* Year ago, holiday.

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	57	13	57	*..
Corn	58	54	58	*..
Oats	203	78	203	*..

* Year ago, holiday.

LONDON SILVER.

London, Sept. 12.—Bar silver 50d per ounce. Money, 3⅜ per cent.

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Sept. 12. — Inspected cars: Wheat, 59; corn, 75; oats, 243.

LIVE STOCK.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Sept. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 5,000 head; market higher. Bulk of sales, $17.75@18.85; heavy, $18.25@18.95; packers and butchers, $18.00@18.90; light, $17.50@18.75; pigs, $15.00@17.00.

CATTLE — Receipts 6,000 head; market steady. Cows, $5.50@9.00; heifers, $6.50@13.00; stockers and feeders, $6.50@12.50; bulls, $6.00@8.00; calves, $7.00@13.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 5,000 head; market higher. Lambs, $16.50@17.50; yearlings, $11.50@13.50; wethers, $10.50@12.50; ewes, $9.50@11.50.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Sept. 12.—HOGS — Receipts 6,000 head; market steady. Lights, $18.50@18.85; pigs, $13.50@17.50; mixed and butchers, $18.50@19.00; good heavy, $18.00@19.10; bulk of sales, $18.50@19.00.

CATTLE — Receipts 7,000 head; market strong. Yearling steers and heifers, $7.00@16.00; cows, $6.00@10.00; stockers and feeders $6.50@9.50; prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@15.00; native calves, $5.75@15.75.

SHEEP — Receipts 1,500 head; market higher. Lambs, $11.00@17.00; ewes, $9.00@10.50; wethers, $10.50@12.50; canners and choppers, $5.00@7.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Scantiness of receipts forced higher prices in the hog market today, but packers held off until something of a reaction from early top figures had taken place. Cattle prices reflected the scarcity of offerings so far this week as compared with a week ago. Sheep did not seem over plentiful.

HOGS — Receipts 12,000 head; estimated receipts for Thursday, 10,000 head; market slow, 5 to 10 cent above yesterday's average. Bulk of sales, $17.50@18.90; light, $17.25@18.90; mixed, $17.05@18.90; heavy, $16.90@18.90; rough, $16.90@17.15; pigs, $13.50@17.40.

SHEEP — Receipts 16,000 head; estimated receipts for Thursday, 12,000 head; market firm. Wethers, $8.75@12.75; lambs, $12.00@17.85.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Sept. 12.—Hog receipts 8,500 head; market 15 to 25 cents lower. Top price, $18.85; bulk of sales, $18.75. Cattle receipts 1,600 head; market 25 to 50 cents higher.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Sept. 12.—Bower & Bower report hog receipts 1,100 head; market slow, $18.85@19.00; pigs, $17.50; lambs, $17.50@18.00; calves, $15.50@16.50; cattle, $5.50@11.50.

PRODUCE.

New York Produce.

New York, Sept. 12.—BUTTER — Market steady. Receipts 14,802 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 44⅝@45½c; creamery extras, 92 score, 44½@44¾c; firsts, 43@44c; seconds, 41@42½c.

EGGS — Market steady. Receipts 13,431 cases. Fresh gathered extras, 45@46c; extra firsts, 43@44c; firsts, 40½@42c; seconds, 38@40c.

CHEESE — Market firm. Receipts 1,205 boxes. State, fresh specials, 25c; do, average run, 24¼@24½c.

POULTRY — Market for dressed poultry strong. Chickens, 23@31c; fowls, 21@29c; turkeys, 20@32c.

Market for live poultry firm; no prices quoted.

New York Sugar.

New York, Sept. 12.—SUGAR — Market for raw sugar nominal. Centrifugal, $7.02; molasses, $6.14. Market for refined sugar steady. Fine granulated, $8.40@8.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—BUTTER — Market higher. Creamery, 39½@43c.

EGGS — Market lower. Receipts 8,411 cases. Firsts, 37½@38c; ordinary firsts, 35½@36c; at mark (cases included), 35@37c.

POTATOES — Receipts 30 cars; market unchanged.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry lower. Fowls, 22@25c; springs, 23c.

GRAIN.

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Sept. 12.—CORN—Market unchanged to 1 cent higher. No. 2 yellow, $2.20; No. 2 mixed, $2.18.

OATS—Market ¼ to 1 cent higher. No. 2 white, 60⅝c; No. 3 white, 60¼@60⅝c.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—CORN — No. 2 yellow, $2.23½@2.24; No. 3 yellow, $2.23¼; No. 4 yellow, nominal.

OATS—No. 3 white, 60⅞@61½c; standard, 61⅛@61⅝c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.85@1.86.

BARLEY—$1.25@1.40.

TIMOTHY—$6.00@8.00.

CLOVER—$17.00@21.50.

PORK—$42.25.

LARD—$23.05@23.70.

RIBS—$23.42@23.92.

New York Money.

New York, Sept. 12.—Mercantile paper, 5@5¼ per cent.

Bar silver, 98⅞c.

Mexican dollars, 78c.

Time loans 5½ per cent.

Call money: High, 5 per cent; low, 3 per cent; last loan, 5 per cent.

DECATUR MARKETS.

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

Wheat	$2.08
Corn—Yellow	2.00
White and mixed	2.00
Oats	.55
Rye	1.55

Butter and Eggs.
Quoted by Max Atlass).

Eggs	.36
Butter, packing	.34

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlass)

Hens, 4½ lbs and over	.20
Hens, mediums	.18
Springs, 1¼ to 2 lbs	.18
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs	.17
Cocks	.11
Stags	.16
Old toms	.20
Young Turkeys, 9 lbs and over	.22
Geese	.10
Ducks, young	.12
Live pigeons, per doz	.60

Live Stock.
Quoted daily by G. J. Danzeisen & Son

Heavy sows	$14.00@	...
Hogs, 150-175 lbs	16.50@	....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs	17.25@	....
Choice young hogs, 200 lbs	17.25@	....
Shipping steers	8.00@	9.0
Butcher steers	6.00@	8.5
Choice cows	6.00@	8.5
Medium cows	5.00@	6.5
Bulls	5.50@	7.0
Choice heifers	7.50@	8.5
Heifers, medium	6.00@	7.0
Sheep	6.00@	8.0
Sheep	6.00@	8.0
Spring lambs	10.00@	11.5
Yearling lambs	10.00@	11.0
Veal calves	7.00@	9.0

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF SALE of Real Estate to Pay Debts. State of Illinois, Logan County, ss. In the County Court of Logan County. To the September Probate Term, 1917.

In the Matter of the Estate of Barney Maloy, Deceased. Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debts.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decretal order made and entered of record by said Court in the above entitled cause on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1917, the undersigned Administrator will at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1917, at the west front door of the court house in the City of Lincoln, County of Logan and State of Illinois, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, for CASH to pay the debts of said estate, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts now due from said estate and the cost of administration now due and to accrue, all the right, title, interest and estate which the said Barney Maloy, deceased, had at the time of his death in and to the following described real estate:

All that part of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Eighteen (18) North, Range Three, East of the 3rd P. M. lying south of the Illinois Central Railroad Right of Way, excepting the public highway, situated in Macon County, State of Illinois.

Also Lot One (1) Block Twenty (20) in Latham and Gillett's Addition to the City of Lincoln, Logan County, Illinois.

No deed or deeds will be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers until said sale has been reported to and probated by the Probate Court of Logan County, Illinois. Abstract of title to the premises above described may be obtained from Messrs. McCormick & Murphy, attorneys for Administrator in their office at Lincoln, Illinois.

Dated this 11th day of September, A. D. 1917.

WILLIAM RYAN,
Administrator of the estate of Barney Maloy, Deceased.
McCormick & Murphy, Attorneys.

FINAL SETTLEMENT NOTICE—State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the matter of the estate of John H. Peck, deceased.

To the heirs, legatees and devisees of said John H. Peck, and to whom else it may concern:—You are hereby notified that on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1917, at nine o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, I will present to the County Court of said County of Macon, at the court house, in the City of Decatur, in said Macon County, my final report as Executor of the last Will and Testament of said John H. Peck; will ask the court to approve said report, and to discharge me as such Executor; at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you see fit so to do. Said report being now on file in the office of the Clerk of said court.

Dated this 12th day of September, A. D. 1917.

HARVEY THATCHER
Executor of the last Will and Testament of John H. Peck, deceased.
Walters & Latham, Attorneys.

EMPRESS

Last Time Tonight 8:30
Quixie Quintette
Jazz and Harmony Singing
4—OTHER GOOD ACTS—4

Starting Tomorrow
MATINEE—2:45
TOMORROW NIGHT 8:30
TWICE FRIDAY
THREE TIMES SATURDAY
VAUDEVILLE
—5 ACTS—

ADRIAN
He Will Make You Laugh
That Black Face Funster

FINDERS—KEEPERS
A Lesson of Everyday Life.

THE FAMOUS ARCO BROS.
Sensational Gymnasts

CLINTON & ROONEY
SONGS AND DANCES

POLLARD
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Showing Latest in Pictures

Starting Sunday
For Eight Days
LaSalle Musical Stock Company
—With—
GUY VOYER—30 PEOPLE

BIJOU
Last Time Today
See Dainty
Vivan Martin
The Country-wide Favorite, in
"A KISS FOR SUSIE"
Do you want novelty and heart interest? Here is a story written around the family of a bricklayer—a homely, absorbing tale of the every day things of this world.
Also Paramount Comedy.
Adults, 10c
Children, 5c
TOMORROW ONLY
Mary Pickford in "Such a Little Queen."
Next Week, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Marguerite Clark in "The Amazons"

LEAVENWORTH
WHOLESALE GROCER COMPANY
PANCAKE FLOUR
Pancake Flour, fresh pack, dozen packages $1.50
Two for 25c
Old Style Graham Flour, fresh, 6-pound bags 50c
Whole Wheat Flour (arrived yesterday) 6-pound bags 55c
"Perfection" Flour, per large sack $3.40
The original "Perfection" Flour has the Eagle on the sack.
SKAT SOAP
The best soft hand soap known for mechanics and automobilists.
Skat Soap, dozen tins $1.00
Three tins for 25c

AVON VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES
3 ACTS VAUDEVILLE 3 ACTS
LAST TIME TODAY
COLUMBUS BROS. Accordion Virtuosos
LEONARD P. RUTH Comedy Singing, Talking and Dancing
WILLIAM DESMOND IN
TIME LOCKS AND DIAMONDS.
Matinee—2:30 Night—7:00 and 8:45
ADMISSION—BALCONY, 5c; MAIN FLOOR, 10c.
LAST HALF OF WEEK
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
3—ACTS—3
VAUDEVILLE
Clark Bros. Novelty Singing, Talking and Dancing
Gene & Marie Buster —in— Something All Their Own
EDDIE CARRIER Late Popular Song Successes
7 ALSO REELS PICTURES 7
BILLY WEST
Foremost Screen Comedienne in a 2 reel Comedy
ANITA STEWART
And an all Star Cast in
"MILLION BID"
ADMISSION ALWAYS
All Seats
BALCONY, 5c — — — — MAIN FLOOR, 10c
One Show Matinee 2:30 2 Shows Evenings 7 and 8:45
AVON

S-T-R-A-N-D
GAIL KANE
—and—
LITTLE RUTH EVERDALE
Better known in Decatur as Ruth Abbott, Daughter of Gypsy Abbott
—in—
"SOULS IN PAWN."
See Gail Kane in an array of gorgeous gowns and then in the uniform of a Red Cross nurse. Quality of this picture 100 per cent.
Shows Today 2:00, 3:30, 7:15 and 8:45.
Admission—Children, 5c; Adults, 10c
Friday and Saturday—June Elvidge, Montagu Love and Arthur Ashley in "The Guardian."

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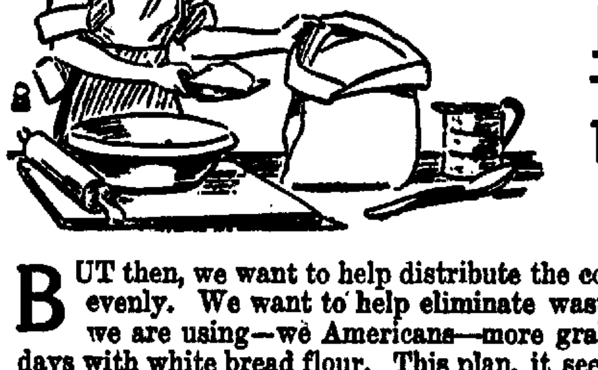
Vacuum Cleaner
with your eyes open!

Look out for "BRUSH" Sweepers that do not have ELECTRIC BRUSHES.
Mere suction or vacuum cleaners do only partial cleaning, and no brush unless it is motor driven and Electrically Revolved has the necessary power to shake the carpet and loosen the dirt.
The "brushes" in other sweepers are mere imitating make-shifts. They are totally unable to do effective work.
Compare results before you buy. Get the Right Machine first—Thousands have Unsatisfactory Machines on their hands.
HOOVER electric SUCTION SWEEPER
Phone and arrange to test it in your own home without obligation on your part.
Sold on Easy Payments.
Decatur Railway & Light Company.
Bell No. 1.

Here Is A Practical Way For Housewives To
"Get Behind Hoover"
WE HAVE been doing a lot of talking lately—all of us—about this economy thing. Now, however, Macon county women are over with declaring principles—they want to begin putting them into practice. Of course, the question of bread comes first. Now for bread with most food value, we still, as we have always done, advise

BIG "S" FLOUR
The Flour For Bread That Is Food
BUT then, we want to help distribute the country's wheat supply more evenly. We want to help eliminate waste—if you call it that. So we are using—we Americans—more graham flour on alternating days with white bread flour. This plan, it seems, is the ultimate way to utilize the whole kernel and all the wheat, to the most economical advantage. Big "S" flours are specially prepared for just such a plan. Try them and see the good results in nourishment and economy.
Sold by all grocers. Just say Big "S" and your grocer will know that you want the best.
A Big "S" Feed For Every Need
Balanced rations specially made for poultry, horse and dairy.
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BOARD MEMBERS ON THEIR DUTIES

Responsibility to Nation and Community.

PHYSICAL DEFECTS

Suggested German System Has Merit.

"As I thought of the work of this board the evening after I had notice that I was appointed to serve on it, I believed then, and I believe now after most of the work is done, that the real duty of this local board was to do two things—to serve the nation and also to serve the community from which it was drawn. I remembered what Lincoln had said when he spoke once of the effect of the great civil war on this nation. He felt heavy on his heart the destruction the creation of the army meant on the homes of this nation, the homes from which the men must come, and I made up my mind that these local boards were really created to conserve the homes, the families, and the ties of the home neighborhood as well as to select men who should serve the nation well."

Thus spoke John Allen of the Decatur exemption board at the regular dinner of the City Club Wednesday noon at the Hotel Orlando, when the members of both the city and county boards were the guests of the club.

It was the key note of all the talks made by the various members present. That the members of the boards felt their responsibilities and made every effort to live up to them no one could doubt after hearing the talks made at the luncheon.

OBJECT OF WAR.

"No one could serve on the board," said C. A. Ewing, chairman of the Decatur board, "without having before his mind constantly and having it come back to him persistently the causes for which this war is being fought. No one believed Lincoln when he said that this nation could not live half free and half slave, and it seems difficult to believe now that the world cannot live half democracy and half autocracy.

Work of this kind dealing with the principles which govern both the nation and the individual gave to us a feeling of deep responsibility.

But as we got into it, as we found the number of men who were disqualified for physical reasons for service, one could not help wondering if his old notion that the German army service was after all a waste of time. The number of our men who were physically defective was amazing and it will give this nation some facts to think over and work over even if we never get into the war across the seas.

"As we look over the nation and see how the value of co-operation, of working together, has become accentuated by this war, we may easily say that it has probably speeded us up in development a hundred years. The winning of the war new means the saving of civilization."

MOTHERS THANKED THEM.

Cassius Holcomb, chairman of the county board, said that after the men of the first five per cent had gone three mothers came to him and thanked him for taking the boys in that quota. He also said that all of the first quota were volunteers.

REJECTIONS.

Dr. E. J. Brown, medical examiner for the board, after speaking of the work of the volunteer assistants who with him, gave eight days from 8 in the morning until 10 o'clock at night for this work, said that 35 per cent of the men drawn had been rejected for physical defects, 49 per cent had been exempt for other reasons and 16 per cent had qualified.

Men were never rejected for overweight but a very great many were not taken because of underweight.

AMUSING.

Dr. Brown told of some of the amusing things of the work. One mother came in to plead for the exemption of her boy. She said he would certainly die of home sickness, he could not stand work and the separation from home. "Why doctor, she said, that boy has never slept out of my room a night in his life. The "boy" was 22 years old. Dr. Brown told her that it would do the boy good to get away from home for a while.

One man simulated deafness and when the doctor on the other side of the room said in a low tone of voice, "We can't use you. You are too deaf." He said "Thank you doctor," and started for the door, but he is now serving in the army.

READY TO SERVE.

Dr. W. Meltom, medical examiner for county board, talked of the spirit of the draft as the others had also done. How the boys were ready to serve and not a single complaint was made against the government.

The only regret expressed in regard to the service was the necessity of going abroad.

Dr. Melton also spoke of the amount of unsuspected cases of tuberculosis that were developed and of how the men who showed tendencies toward that disease could be watched for any further deveopment. "Life in the training camps will be good for these men," said Dr. Melton. "It is when they get into the trenches and are subject to exposure that the disease will take hold of the men in a serious manner."

EARNESTNESS.

The members of the board impressed the men present at the dinner with their earnestness and interest in the great work. The system which covered the country, but which as C. A. Ewing said, "sprang up in a night like a mushroom and covered the nation."

Amusing things were told of the work but the serious, responsible side of the task were uppermost in the minds of all the speakers and showed itself in their informal talks.

They have had on their minds the effect both on the nation and on the home community of the work they were called upon to do, and, as John Allen said, "the creation of local boards was for the purpose of conserving the local or home interests and ties as far as consistent with giving the nation the army it needed for the nation's cause."

SIGNOR PECCO SEPT. 26.

President W. J. Ellis announced that on Wednesday Sept. 26, Signor Pecco, Italian vice consul at Springfield, would address the club on Italy's relation to the war and to the United States.

NEW PASTOR AT FIRST CHURCH

Rev. J. C. Berry is the new assistant pastor of the First Methodist church. Mr. Berry graduated in June

REV. J. C. BERRY.

from the Boston School of Theology, and since then has been supplying the pulpit of the Methodist church at Niantic. He was appointed by the recent conference at Champaign to take charge of the work of a country church, Asbury chapel, and also to act as assistant to the First church pastor, Rev. F. A. Havighurst.

Mr. Berry will take up his new work at once.

Ladies' Meeting.

The west central division of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. W. Armstrong, 281 West Prairie with twenty five members present. At the close of the business the afternoon was spent socially and in knitting for the Red Cross. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Armstrong.

CHURCH NEWS.

The address by Rev. W. H. Nowack of Henan province, China, will be given at 7:45 tonight at the Westminster Presbyterian church. He will tell of different phases of missionary work in China. Mr. Nowack is in this country on a furlough.

HE PHOTOGRAPHS SHELLS IN AIR

Interesting Work of Chief Petty Officer Hale.

Mr and Mrs. Clarence Hale will leave for Washington, D. C., tonight, where Mr. Hale is stationed in connection with the United States naval yards. They have been spending two weeks with Mr. Hale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hale, of 614 West King street.

SECOND ENLISTMENT.

Clarence Hale is a Decatur boy, a graduate of the Decatur high school, and is just entering upon his second term of enlistment in the navy. He came home two weeks ago on a short furlough and to the surprise of his parents he brought home with him a bride.

Clarence Hale and Miss Caroline Senger were married in Milwaukee on Sept. 1. It was no sudden fancy. It appears that Miss Senger was the girl he left behind when he went away to become a blue jacket. They had known each other in Milwaukee, where Mr. Hale was employed in connection with some of the electrical industries before his enlistment. He has many friends in Decatur and Mrs. Hale has made many since she came here.

HIS UNIFORM.

Mr. Hale's uniform and chevrons have been a puzzle to Decatur folk, who have met him on the street. We know soldiers and we know sailors and have learned to distinguish noncoms from commissioned officers and to recognize most of the branches of the service. His dark blue uniform and chevrons of chief petty officer are something that is new to us and needed to be explained. He does not wear the sailor, bell shaped trousers and the sailor's collar with which we are more or less familiar.

PRIVILEGES OF OFFICE.

The enlistment of Mr. Hale was as an electrician and after he had gone through his preliminary training as a blue jacket and the school of electricity he was assigned to sea duty on the New York for its first cruise. After nearly four years in active sea service, during which he was steadily advanced in rank and pay, he is now a chief petty officer and is stationed at the Washington navy yard. This entitles him to many privileges, one of which is to draw the money for his ration and to live where he pleases.

NICE PHOTOGRAPHY.

He is now employed as a photographer and is engaged in the fascinating task of "stopping" the shells from the big naval guns in their flight. It is easy, he says, when you have the camera trained on the right path of the projectile at the right millionth of a second. But the training and timing of the camera is not an easy matter. But to such accuracy has photography been brought that photographs have been made not only of the shell in flight, but of the projectile as it was poking its nose from the muzzle of the gun, the instant after it had left the gun. The camera that is used was especially designed for this purpose, and weighs 300 pounds.

Mr. Hale admits that there are many failures for each succesful photograph. These photographs are made by the war department as a matter of record.

MAKES GOOD TALKS.

Mr. Hale has made talks in several of the Decatur churches since he has been here. He talks easily and most interestingly of the life and work of a sailor. Of what the navy is doing in this war he knows less, he says, than the civilian who has time to read the papers. His information is in the main limited to the statements officially given out. Now and then he meets a sailor who, from his own experience, relates some thrilling incident of the submarine warfare which never gets into print.

BIG ATTENDANCE OF TEACHERS

About All of Them at the Institute.

The Macon county teachers' institute opened Wednesday morning with the biggest first day's enrollment ever known. The total enrollment at noon today was 345. The enrollment for the first day of previous institutes seldom, if ever, reached 200. The sections are so large that the ordinary high school were not large enough and adjournment had to be taken to larger rooms. The general sessions are held in the auditorium, which is well filled.

The unusual enrollment is partly due to the fact that the institute is in term time and all of the schools were in session. Teachers in attendance at the institute are paid exactly as if they were teaching. The institute program is one of the strongest ever offered in this county. The instructors are Prof. E. Voelker of the University of Wisconsin; Dr. Thomas H. Briggs of Columbia university, and Mrs. Lottie Deneen Heineman of the Wisconsin state Normal school at La Crosse.

"If the public knew how interesting Professor Voelker's lectures are, the auditorium would be crowded at each lecture," said County Superintendent Eyman. Professor Voelker is secretary of the department of instruction by lectures and he is a fascinating speaker.

His morning lecture is at 9:50 and his afternoon lecture at 1:15.

Wednesday afternoon he talked on "Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde."

Tomorrow morning Professor Voelker lectures on "Wheels in the Head."

MISS L. TAUBER IS THE SECOND

Will Go on Citizens Elevator Next Monday.

Lydia Tauber will be Decatur's second "lady elevator attendant," having taken employment in the Title and Trust building to operate the second elevator from noon till 6 p. m. She will go to work next Monday. Miss Tauber is over seventeen years old, resides at 1666 East Wood street, and is at present employed in the Heiner store.

"No, I don't expect to put uniforms on them," said Manager MacNeil of the Title and Trust building. "You see, young people who work on these jobs change around a great deal. Some of them stay a good while but many of them do not stay long. We would have to furnish the uniforms and as the uniform worn by one might no fit any of the successors, it would make that too costly. We may put a uniform cap on them, however.

M. B. HENRY DIES AT CINCINNATI

Body Will Be Brought to Decatur for Burial.

A message was received Wednesday by Elmer O. Brintlinger of the death of Malcolm Bruce Henry, which occurred at a hospital in Cincinnati Tuesday night.

Mr. Henry was well known in Decatur and had many friends here. He married Miss Myrtle McGowan in Decatur and after their marriage they went to Pueblo, Colo., for the benefit of Mrs. Henry's health. They lived there about six years.

Mrs. Henry died last April in Pueblo and her body was brought back to Decatur. Mr. Henry was suffering from a serious stomach disorder at the time and after his return to Pueblo was forced to give up his business. He went to the home of his parents at Carrs, Ky., and was later taken to a hospital in Cincinnati.

He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry of Carrs, Ky., and two brothers, James Henry of Newcastle, Ind., and Bruce Henry of Denver, Colo.; also his wife's mother, Mrs. Anna McGowan, who has been in Springfield since the death of her daughter.

Mr. Henry was a Mason and a Knight Templar, his membership being in Pueblo, Colo. The body will be brought to Decatur, arriving Thursday night or Friday morning, and will be taken to Brintlinger & Son's chapel.

Funeral services are to be held Friday afternoon in Grace Methodist church and will be in charge of the Masonic lodge, with Beaumanoir Commandery, No. 9, Knight Templars as escort. Burial will be in Greenwood.

REDMEN PIE SOCIAL.

The Sangamon Tribe No. 143, Redmen, will give a pie and coffee and ice cream social Thursday night in the Redmen hall, corner of North Main and William streets, with plenty of good music all evening. All Redmen and Pocahontas and their friends are welcome.

WERE MARRIED FIFTY YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Newlin.
Celebrating Golden Wedding.

BIG DROP IN FAIR TRAVEL

Most of Crowd is Going by A[illegible].

State fair trav[illegible] absolutely sick. Up till noon Wednesday, the I. T. S. ticket office here had sold only 200 tickets to Springfield during the morning and yet Wednesday and Thursday are considered the two biggest days. This number is quite different from the Wednesday morning travel over the interurban just ten years ago the latter part of this month. On that morning in 1907, the interurban people could not handle the crowd out of Decatur and 1400 tickets were sold during the morning.

MANY AUTOS.

Of course the autos were not so numerous ten years ago, but even the autos are not hauling this difference of 1200 people. Auto travel to the fair, however, is perhaps larger than ever. Country roads west out of Decatur early Wednesday morning were fairly well lined with autos, nearly all west-bound, indicating big fair travel. People with autos can make their way about in Springfield now much easier than those who have to depend on the street cars.

RAILROAD GOSSIP.

W. T. Gazel is working in the roundhouse shops as electrician in the place of J. A. Cooper, who is in Springfield on business.

Sam Wolf, night pump engineer at the Wabash roundhouse, left Wednesday morning for Chicago, where he will visit for a short while.

Gus Nalefski, veteran engine despatcher at the Wabash roundhouse, has left the hospital where he was taken about two weeks ago, when he suffered kidney trouble.

Roy House, helper in the Wabash roundhouse, left Tuesday night for a week's trip to Buffalo.

Hector Veah, blacksmith's foreman at the Wabash shops, underwent an operation for hernia at the Wabash hospital Tuesday afternoon. He is progressing as well as can be expected.

OLD STYLE AND NEW IN PRISONS

Wonderful Pictures Shown at the Lincoln Square.

"The Honor System" pictures, ten reels of them, were shown at the Lincoln square theater Wednesday morning to a few city officials and others invited in. That let them see just how fine the pictures were. The small and select audience was surprised when it came out to find that they had been in the theater two hours.

The pictures show the old style prison in the opening reels as contrasted in the last ones with the best form of the present day honor system.

WATCHMAN TO TURN AUTOISTS

Heavy Oil Makes Road Dangerous for a Few Days.

Owing to the fact that the Springfield road has been oiled from the pavement to Stevens creek, a watchman has been stationed at Park Place and West Main to turn autoists north over the detour route. The oil is htavy on the hills and makes going dangerous. It is betttr for the road for it to have a day or two to soak in.

WILL HOLD SOCIAL.

Decision to hold a fall social was made at the meeting of the executive council of the Young People's union Monday night at the Y. W. C. A. The date for the event and plans for the social were left in the hands of Miss Lois Wasson, who will be assisted by the social chairmen from the various societies in the union. The plans made will be reported at the next meeting of the council.

"Finances" was the principal topic of discussion at the meeting Monday night. Treasurers of the various societies had been asked to come and report of how the finances are handled in their organizations. A number of reports were made.

The president, J. W. Workman, presided at the meeting.

BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dean Taylor, 604 North Water street, at Decatur and Macon County hospital, Monday, Sept. 10, a daughter.

ALL DAY WEDDING CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Newlin Married Fifty Years.

With more than 200 of their friends and relatives gathered about them at their home north of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Newlin celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Wednesday afternoon.

The afternoon was spent informally, renewing old acquaintanceships and memories, with the guests scattered about the lawn of their country home on the Bloomington road north of St. Teresa's academy, where they have lived since they moved to Macon county from Jasper county in 1891.

EARLY YEARS.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Newlin were born and raised in Jasper county, Ill. and Sept. 12, 1867, they were quietly married at Gila, Ill. The young couple went to housekeeping immediately on a farm in Jasper county and lived there until 1891, when they settled on the farm north of Decatur where they have liver ever since.

Mr. Newlin was born in Jasper county in 1843, and has lived in Illinois practically all of his life with the exception of a year which he spent in Kansas. About ten years ago he became seriously ill, and at that time it was feared that he would not live. At present he is in fair health for a man of 74 years.

Mrs. Newlin at 67, is very active and enjoys the best of health. Wednesday morning she was busy about the house attending to the numerous details connected with the celebration of her own wedding. Mrs. Newlin was married when she was seventeen years old.

AMONG GUESTS.

They have four children living, and one nephew, whom they raised from infancy. Their children are: Will Newlin, northeast Decatur, Mrs. Isaac Gregory, Decatur, Rev. O. A. Newlin, Winona Lake, Ind., J. L. Newlin, Decatur, and a nephew, Rev. F. M. Newlin, Garrett, Ind. They also have three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Out of town guests for the anniversary celebration are:

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Newlin, Hildago, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Matheny, Newton, Ill.
Mrs. B. B. Brewer, Dietrich, Ill.
Mrs. Margaret Newlin, Jewett, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kibler, Rose Hill, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Newlin, Jewett, Ill.
Mrs. Cora Trimble, Rose Hill, Ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds, Robinson, Ill.
Mrs. Hattie Sarver, Robinson, Ill.
George Sowers, Mattoon, Ill.
Fred Sowers, Mattoon, Ill.
Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Rose Hill, Ill.

In the course of the afternoon, some pieces of furniture were presented the couple by their children. Refreshments were served to 200 during the afternoon.

The celebration will continue Wednesday evening from six to nine o'clock, after which the guests and relatives will leave for their homes.

PATRIOTIC SPEECHES MADE

Fourteen at a Supper in Honor of Albert Furness.

A supper in honor of Albert Furness, who is among the first in the draft to go to the front, was given Tuesday evening by his mother, Mrs. E. Dennison, 274 West Wood street. Other guests were Mrs. A. Lundstrum and Captain and Mrs. Stanley Williamson of Chicago, and Commandant and Mrs. Thomas Williamson and their family, of Decatur.

Patriotic dinner speeches were made by Mrs. Thomas Williamson, Captain Stanley Williamson and Commandant Williamson. Mrs. Dennison also spoke. Mrs. Nellie Donnison, sister of Albert, is patriotic and is proud of the fact that her brother was chosen to help "lick the kaiser."

Fourteen sat down to the table and enjoyed a fine old English supper. One of the guests present says by the way the evening was spent in feasting and speaking, the kaiser and his allies are badly licked and the United States has established a world democracy, and freedom for all the people.

Club Meeting.

The In His Steps club will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon with Susan Bass, 1440 West Main street.

WHITE PLAGUE FIGHT BEGINS

Officers Elected — Supervisors to be Seen.

The committee appointed a few days ago to complete an organization for handling the tuberculosis situation in Macon county met Tuesday night at the rooms of the Decatur Medical society in the Citizens Title and Trust building and organized the Macon County Tuberculosis and Visiting Nurse association.

OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected:

President—Dr. H. C. Jones.
Vice-president—John E. Mattes.
Secretary—Miss Mills.
Treasurer—A. M. Kenney.

The constitution was adopted and a committee composed of Dr. C. E. Hildreth, J. P. Mattes and Mrs. I. J. Bender was appointed to draft a set of by-laws to be passed on at the meeting next week.

BEFORE SUPERVISORS.

It is necessary to have an organization in order to get county aid in the way of funds to carry on the fight against the white plague, and Thursday Dr. Will Barnes, Commissioner John F. Mattes and Mrs. Frank Lindsay will present the matter to the board of supervisor and ask that funds be appropriated with which to start an organized fight against the disease in Macon county. Mrs. Lindsay, whose case was thought to be hopeless, has recovered and physicians declare her absolutely cured. Since her return home she has become one of the most enthusiastic workers in the movement.

MARRIED.

CATABOIUS-DUNCAN.

Miss Ruby Duncan and Tony Catabolus were married at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan, 2584 East Cerro Gordo street, Rev. Edna Wells Hoke officiating. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served to about fifty guests. The couple left Wednesday morning for Springfield to attend the state fair, and on their return they will go to housekeeping at 2540 East Wabash avenue.

Mr. Catabolus is employed at the Wabash shops. The bride has been working at Schudel's laundry.

Pan American Movies.

Moving pictures of the crowd at the Pan-American opening on Aug. 30 were shown at the Avon theater Tuesday night. These pictures are to be sent to different theaters in the state.

The Pan American people expect to have other moving pictures made from time to time.

ANNOUNCES DATE FOR WEDDING

Miss Werra Keck to Marry Leonard Dawson Sept. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Keck announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Werra, to Leonard Dawson of Springfield. The wedding will take place on the evening of Sept. 17 at the home of the bride-to-be, the ceremony taking place at 8 o'clock.

Charges Traffic Violation.

Clarence Hawkins was arrested Tuesday evening on a warrant sworn out by Fred Wilson, the mail carrier, charging Hawkins with violating the traffic ordinance. It is said that Hawkins was driving rapidly and came near running over the mail carrier. The case is set for Sept. 17 in Justice Keeler's court.

REPORTS TO W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

Miss Bivens Speaks in "Legal Status of Illinois Women."

At the afternoon session of the county W. C. T. U. convention Tuesday afternoon reports showed good work accomplished. Mrs. Mary J. Kreidler of the welfare home gave a short talk telling about the work of the home. The Riverside union was organized with twenty-two members last year and came to the convention with a membership of fifty-two.

An instructive paper was given by Miss Fannie A. Bivens on the subject, "Legal Status of Illinois Women."

The convention was attended by about seventy-five people.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

The county W. C. T. U. convention opened Tuesday morning at the First Christian church with an executive meeting, at which the following superintendents were elected:

Parliamentary law — Miss Margaret E. Crissey, Decatur.
Cooperation of Missionary societies—Mrs. Hannah Weber, Decatur.
Evangelic and Almshouse—Mrs. A. Shafer, Macon.
Associate—Mrs. Jemima Hilbrandt, Argenta.
Flower Mission—Mrs. Zella McCarter.
Franchise—Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, Warrensburg.
Associate—Mrs. Mary P. Larrick, Decatur.
Jail work—Mrs. Sarah Baker, Decatur.
Associate—Mrs. W. E. Grindle.
Literature—Mrs. B. F. Cloud.
Loyal Temperance Legion—Mrs. Minnie Highly, Macon.
Medal contest — Mrs. Lucille Loring-Evans.
Mothers' meetings—Mrs. Martha Litle, Decatur.
Press—Mrs. C. B. Erwin, Decatur.
Red Letter Days—Mrs. Mary E. Pierce, Decatur.
Scientific temperance instruction—Mrs. G. W. Davis.
Associate—Mrs. Mary James.
Sabbath day observance and cooperation with Sunday schools—Mrs. L. M. Heinle, Argenta.
White Ribbon recruits — Mrs. Hattie Figher.
Christian citizenship and law enforcement—Mrs. Thomas Williamson.
Associate—Mrs. Hudson.

Committees were appointed as follows:

Press—Mrs. C. B. Erwin, Mrs. G. W. Davis, Mrs. George Weber.
Membership—Mrs Flora Bivens, Mrs. L. C. Reece, Mrs. Stella Cole of Macon.
Courtesy—Mrs. Minnie Highly, Macon; Mrs. C. M. Ritchie, Warrensburg; Mrs. Jemima Hildebrandt, Argenta.
Resolutions—Miss M. Crissey, Mrs. Alice Kelley, Mrs. N. E. Cox, Macon.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. A. Shafer, Macon.
Vice president—Mrs. Lulu M. Heinle, Argenta.
Secretary—Mrs. C. B. Erwin.
Treasurer—Mrs. Hannah Weber.
Auditor—Mrs. Minnie Highly.

Scraps of News

SERGEANT HOSS HERE.

Sergeant Chester Hoss of Company H, Tenth Illinois Infantry, is in Decatur on a three days' furlough recruiting men for the company. He is stationed at the armory.

ENLISTED.

John H. Jeworoski, who has just returned from Sarnia, Can., where he has been in the employ of the H. Mueller Manufacturing company, enlisted Wednesday in the quartermaster's corps of the National army.

FIRST SERGEANT.

Another Decatur boy is making good at Camp Dodge, Des Moines. Clarence Bowers is now a first sergeant. Attorney H. W. McDavid received a short letter from Mr. Bowers Wednesday, stating that he has been appointed first sergeant in a company of field artillery and felt certain he would make good. Mr. Bowers has had one year of military training. He said that all the Macon county boys were well and pleased with army life as far they have gone.

WEEK IN CHICAGO.

C. W. Wikoff and family arrived home Tuesday evening from a week's automobile trip. They visited Chicago, Fort Sheridan, the Great Lakes naval station and returned home by way of Starved Rock. They had a highly enjoyable trip, the only drawback being the cold weather.

ACROSS JASPER.

Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff has a force of men laying six-inch water pipe across all the intersections on North Jasper street, so that it will not be necessary to cut into the pavement which will be laid this fall. Mains were laid across two of the intersections Tuesday night in order that the property owners would not be inconvenienced by having the water shut off.

FROM HENDERSON, KY.

Miss Erma Friedrich, of Henderson Ky., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rehling, 1252 North Union street. At the time that Company L was stationed in Henderson the Friedrich family was especially kind to the men, and entertained them and their Decatur friends many times.

THREE WEEKS IN EAST.

C. J. Pennington has returned from an eastern trip, in which he visited his brother, Frank, at New York, his brother, Fred, at Pittsburgh, and his father in Columbus. He was away three weeks.

COMING OUT.

It is reported that the Ben Harrison engine is being taken out of the bridge on the poor farm road where it has been for five weeks.

People You Know

Miss Thelma Wilcox, who has been visiting for the last three months in Ludington, Mich., has returned home for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ferris of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting Mrs. Ferris' brother, F. H. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Garnine of Sullivan are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarter, 721 North Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong are in Seattle, Wash., visiting J. M. Maris, Harley Maris and other friends. They will be there until about Nov. 1.

Troy M. Odor and wife of Decatur have gone to Chicago for a ten days' visit with Mr. Odor's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Odor. They will also visit the Great Lakes training station.

Mrs. Adam Stern and her son, George of 1142 East Condit street, left Wednesday morning for a two weeks visit with her uncle and aunt at Milwaukee, and Waukesha, Wis.

Mrs. Ellen Goddard, of Archie, Mo., is visiting her son, William Goddard, 2468 East Prairie street. She will also visit in Bement before returning home.

FUNERALS

MRS. D. AUNGST.

The funeral of Mrs. Aungst will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at St. Patrick's Catholic church. Rev. Father Murphy officiating. Interment will be in Calvary.

Married at Chicago.

A marriage license was issued in Chicago Tuesday to Glen R. Perkins of this city and Mrs. Frances Boyd-Snee of South Bend, Ind.

Mr. Perkins has been residing at 1165 West Main street. He is employed by the Linxweiler Printing company. The couple expect to return to Decatur to live.

Pugh Mothers.

The Pugh school Mothers' club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Flint, 682 West Cushing street. All the women of the community are invited to attend. They will sew for the Red Cross.

DEEDS RECORDED

Jesse J. Miles to Myrtle M. Sawyer, east 75 feet of lot 2, block 2, H. Johnson's subdivision in M. F. Kanan's addition; $3,750.

J. J. Albert to Abner Tinker, lots 21 and 22, Walnut Grove addition; $3,200.

Elisabeth E. Chamberlain to W. D. Chamberlain, one-tenth interest in the west ½, southeast ¼, northeast ¼, section 31, 16, 1 east; $20.

Odessa Tankersley to L. E. Harrison, lots 8 and 9, block 3, Powers' fourth addition; $1.

A. W. Wagner to C. A. Ewing, north 312 feet of west 191 feet, southwest ¼, southwest ¼, 1, 16, 2 east; $1.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Anton H. Catobias, Decatur.....24
Ruby M. Duncan, Decatur.....16

Harold V. Mills, Decatur.....23
Mabel Gleason, Decatur.....20

John Howard Powers, Decatur.....22
Helen Lee Kenney, Decatur.....21

MEETINGS

Columbia Circle—Special meeting of Decatur Conclave No. 35, this evening at 7:30 o'clock in G. A. R. hall, corner North Main and William streets. Past Supreme President Frank Berst will be present.

GRAND JURY IS SELECTED

Supervisors Welcome New Member.

The board of supervisors has named the following grand jurors for the October term of the circuit court:

Decatur—John Clark, C. C. Andrews, A. L. Nickens, W. D. Ryan, James T. Duncan, H. B. Wise and George W. Pringle.
Austin—Albert Ferry.
Blue Mound—Fred Fathauer.
Friends Creek—J. P. Bopp.
Harristown—George W. Harting.
Hickory Point—S. P. Bear.
Illini—B. E. Turner.
Long Creek—Joseph Bloir.
Maroa—Lon Smith.
Milam—Frank Rogers.
Mt. Zion—J. L. Berry.
Oakley—T. F. Wheeler.
Pleasant View—L. A. Hedges.
South Macon—William Lindley.
South Wheatland — Charles P. Jones.
Whitmore—Stanton Maxwell.

CLARK INSPECTOR.

The election for county mine inspector Wednesday afternoon resulted as follows:

A. W. Ficker—3.
Ed Clark—17.
Will Payne—3
J. Charnock—6.

Clark was elected.

Dr. Will Barnes apptared before ht board and told of tht ntw work at the hospital.

NEW MEMBER.

At the meeting Wednesday morning Frank Wilson of Milam township was formally seated as a member of the board, having been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Supervisor G. W. Richardson, who has resigned and moved to Macon. Mr. Wilson served at the March meeting of the board, having been appointed to fill the unexpired term of W. A. Arnold who resigned. Mr. Wilson was a candidate at the April election, but was defeated by Mr. Richardson, whom he now succeeds, so he will get to serve practically a full term.

FOR BRIDGE AID.

The commissioners of Pleasant View township asked for county aid in building a bridge estimated to cost $3,000. The matter was referred to the road and bridge committee.

Mrs. Mary M. Eyman asked that the appropriation for assistant county superintendent be increased from $800 a year to $1,000, on account of the vast increase in the work made necessary by recent changes in the school laws. This was referred to the fees and salaries committee.

HE DIDN'T SAY IT.

State Mine Inspector Appears for Mine Inspector Ficker.

State Mine Inspector Haskins was in Decatur Tuesday afternoon and called on the board of supervisors long enough to say that County Mine Inspector W. A. Ficker had denied making certain remarks attributed to him. He said that since the board of supervisors was to name a county mine inspector Wednesday it was only fair to Mr. Ficker that the statement be made. Mr. Haskins said further that if Ficker made the remarks credited to him he should be put in jail, and if he did not, the man who accused him should be put in jail.

The members of the board had never heard of the alleged remarks before, and they did not know what Mr. Haskins was driving at, and he did not explain further. Outside of the board, however, it has been said that Ficker is strongly pro-German and has been charged with making disloyal utterances.

STARTS WITH 300 MEMBERS

Insurance Organization Among Railroaders.

A division of the B. A. R. E. which signified Benefit Association of Railway Employes, will be instituted in Decatur this evening. The organization will be known as Decatur lodge No. 96. The meeting for organization will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall at No. 143 North Main street at eight o'clock.

The division will be instituted by Edward L. Bair of Chicago, who has been here for the last three weeks working in the interest of the organization. The division will begin with a membership of 300 and it is confidently expected that with in a year it will have a membership of a thousand and have a club room of its own.

PURPOSE.

The purpose of the association is to furnish fraternal insurance at cost to railroad men. It includes railroad men of all branches of the railway service and from all departments. The association has been in existence for one year and four months and has a membership of 40,000 and has the authority to operate on sixty-six railroads. Members of the association receive benefits in case of injury or sickness from any cause. A railroad employe who becomes permanently disabled is relieved of the necessity of passing the hat for charity or sitting on the street corner with a tin cup in his hands but is paid a benefit at so much per day during the rest of his natural life.

FRATERNAL.

The fraternal features of the association are regarded as one of the most important of the benefits to be derived from it. The men get together from all the departments of the services, from the offices, from the section, from official position, and get to know and understand each other. This makes for better feeling, loyalty and mutual assistance.

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